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WOLFE SOUNDS  
TIMELY WARNINGA Violation of Written Law  
Is Contemplated.Would Be Guilty of Perjury,  
Says Speaker.Hence Merely Shouts Robber,  
Thief and Crook.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SACRAMENTO, Sept. 24.—After nearly four hours' debate the Committee on Platforms at the State Republican convention refused to endorse the nomination of Taft administration, and pledging the convention to the nomination of Taft electors.

The action of the committee will prevent the resolution being brought before the convention, and will compel the Taft supporters to make their fight on the platform, on the nomination of Presidential electors.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Wolfe, in a speech delivered before the Committee on Resolutions tonight, in the Senate chambers, declared that if the delegates to the convention nominated Roosevelt electors they will be guilty of perjury. Wolfe spoke for an hour and a quarter, and quoted extracts from the Constitution and State laws in support of his claim.

"If this convention sets up electors pledged to vote for a Presidential candidate other than Taft, then this convention will violate the written law of the State of California," he said.

REPUBLICANS ADJOURN  
UNTIL THIS MORNING.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SACRAMENTO, Sept. 24.—The Republican convention failed to complete its work today, and adjourned until 10 a.m., tomorrow. The routine of organization engaged the convention at today's session, and nothing further in the dispatch of official business was accomplished.

The selection of the committee, after State Senator E. A. Boynton had called the convention to order and Senator Lee C. Gates of Los Angeles had been chosen permanent chairman, in accordance with the decision of the caucus, held earlier in the day, was done quickly and perfunctorily, also in accordance with the pre-arranged programme.

The first alignment between the Taft and Roosevelt supporters in the convention appeared in a debate on the question of the order of the consideration of the reports of the Committee on Platform and Resolutions and the Committee on Credentials. The report of the Committee on Order of Business provided that the report of the Committee on Electors be considered first. Senator Boynton, ostensibly to defer as long as possible the impending bolt of the Taft adherents on the issue of electoral nominees, moved a reversal of the order. Senator Wolfe and Wright, leaders of the Taft wing, objected on the ground that no intelligent action on the electors could be taken until the adoption of a platform should have determined for which Presidential candidate they were to be pledged. Senator Boynton's resolution finally was adopted.

Delegate O. G. Hopkins of Sacramento introduced a resolution protesting against the election of the internal revenue offices of San Francisco and Sacramento, and pledging the party to stand for the retention of the Sacramento office. Assemblyman Milton Schmitt of San Francisco offered a resolution in favor of transferring control of the San Francisco water front from the State Board of Harbor Commissioners to the Supervisors of San Francisco. A resolution by former Assemblyman Walter McDonald, now a candidate for the Senate, included a pledge for State pensions for indigent mothers. No action was taken on the resolution.

A controversy arose over the question of adjournment until tonight or until tomorrow. The Taft supporters insisting that the convention adjourn until tomorrow, allowing the Platform and Resolutions Committee an opportunity to consider tonight a resolution which he previously had introduced, endorsing President Taft and pledging the convention to Taft electors.

"We must fight this thing out, and the sooner the better," said Wolfe. Upon acquiescence by Assemblyman Cogswell, who had offered the resolution to meet tonight, it was decided to devote the night session to a public consideration of the Wolfe resolution by the Platform Committee.

In executive session, a noon caucus of Roosevelt Republicans decided that William J. Bryan be requested to address the Progressive convention.

Senator Edward Wolfe of Taft Republicans, said he favored adjourning the Republican convention to listen to Mr. Bryan.

Word filtered out from the caucus of Taft Republicans that they had agreed on a plan of action in contesting the right of Roosevelt electors to a place on the November ballot as Republicans.

On the first day after the convention the Taft men plan to appeal to the State Supreme Court for a writ of prohibition, forbidding the Secretary of State to issue certificates of election to Roosevelt electors except as Republicans.

The Republican State convention was called to order in the Senate chamber at 2:10 o'clock this afternoon by Senator Lee C. Gates. Following the programme of the caucus decided upon earlier in the day, Gates was elected permanent chairman, Assemblyman Young of Berkeley was chosen secretary, Assemblyman Presler of Santa Maria assistant secretary and Assemblyman Kennedy of San Francisco sergeant-at-arms.

A clash between the Roosevelt and Taft factions of the convention appeared in the debate on the first motion offered. Assemblyman Kehoe of Humboldt county asserted that all resolutions be submitted to the Committee on Platform and Resolutions before being brought before the convention. Senators Wright and Wolfe opposed the plan, declaring it to be an attempt to stifle resolutions which they intended to present. Kehoe's motion was adopted.

"Onward Christian Soldiers!" . . . Huh!



Blots on the escutcheon of our State.

## GAG RULE PREVAILS.

(Continued from First Page.)

well that it is the only honest thing to do.

Senator Wright supported Wolfe and said: "You so-called Republicans will make a big mistake if you push this unfair measure through. I thought this was a Republican convention."

After a half-hour's debate Gates winked at Kehoe and he withdrew his motion after declaring he introduced it merely in the "interest of expediency."

It was all a scheme on the part of the Finn-Lisner outfit to have the Taft resolution, which was later introduced by Senator Wolfe, referred to the committee without reading, and, of course, everybody knows what would become of it after it was placed in the keeping of four Bull Moosemen and one Taft man, who composed the Committee on Resolutions.

THE ROLL CALL.

The secretary then called the roll and 166 of the 174 delegates answered to their names. Of this number eighty-eight are Progressives, fourteen for Taft and two independent.

Senator Hewitt then moved that a Committee on Credentials be appointed to consist of fifteen members, one from each Congressional district and four at large to be appointed by the chair. Three other committees on Resolution and Platform, Permanent Organization and Presidential Electors, were also named along similar lines.

Senator Horton moved that William Jennings Bryan be requested to speak before the convention. It was carried by a unanimous vote. It was carried by a unanimous vote. It was carried by a unanimous vote.

For several minutes, but did not refer to the bitter fight raging in the Republican ranks. He said all the parties should see to it that only good measures are incorporated in the party platform, and that after endorsing them they should see to it that they are carried out when the successful party came into power. Bryan was given a vote of thanks by the convention, and was hustled into the Democratic convention in the Assembly chambers, where he spoke.

TAFT RESOLUTIONS.

Senator Wolfe then introduced a resolution calling upon the convention to endorse Taft and Sherman and to nominate Presidential electors pledged to support the nominees of that convention, and the only Republican candidates before the people.

The resolution paid a high tribute to President Taft and his administration and recited the splendid achievements of the Republican party during the past six years. The resolution was read to the convention by Secretary Young and referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

There isn't the slightest doubt that the resolution will be voted down tomorrow by a strict factional vote. When the vote is announced it is the plan of the Taft men to walk out of the hall and hold another convention in another part of the Capitol. The Taft men will then nominate thirteen Presidential electors who will support Taft and Sherman and adopt the resolution to be turned down by the Bull Moosemen. The bolt will probably take place tomorrow morning when the Committee on Resolutions submits its report.

THE BIG FIREWORKS.

Senator Boynton started the big fireworks of the day when he requested that the Committee on Presidential Electors file its report before the Committee on Resolutions, which is something unheard of in the history of political conventions.

Senator Wolfe jumped to his feet. "What is this vicious scheme you

allergic Republicans are trying to put over here? Why, I never heard of such a thing before. Do you mean to tell me that you want us to nominate electors before we adopt this platform? Let's meet this issue in the open and face to face. But don't try to make your grand larceny appear worse by adding to it this nefarious scheme. The few loyal Republicans here resent this outrageous plan to throttle and strangle their principles and on behalf of the Republican party of this State I object."

"Now, if you Bull Moosemen have any courage, why stand up like men and fight this thing out in the open. You outnumber us seven to one, but you are sadly mistaken if you think we are going to sit here and let this sort of thing go. The fight is coming sooner or later and it can't come any too quick for me."

RULED OUT OF ORDER.

Senator Wolfe then moved that the Committee on Resolutions report before the Committee on Credentials, but Chairman Gates quickly ruled him out of order as he had on several previous occasions.

The convention was thrown into an uproar while Wolfe was speaking when Assemblyman William K. Flint of Hollister, devout "Progressive" and pet of Gov. Johnson, yelled: "Listen to that!"

Several friends of Senator Wolfe made a dash for Flint, and one of them demanded that he apologize to the Senator. Flint, crestfallen and ashamed, was overtaken by Wolfe and made apology.

Wolfe didn't hear the remark," said Flint. "But if I had heard it, I might have been different. Flint is a candidate for the State Senate and during his term in the Assembly was often referred to as 'Johnson's messenger boy.'"

Senator Wright followed Wolfe and declared a demand for a so-called Republican party of California for its attempt to steal the Republican party. He said the people are getting wise to the political trickery and latencies schemes and the day is coming when the "traitors to the Republic" will receive their just punishment.

During Wright's speech he mentioned the name of Roosevelt for the first time during the convention and the Bull Moosemen applauded.

Wright then introduced a resolution requesting the Presidential electors to be selected by the committee on Credentials, whether they be Taft, Roosevelt or Bull Moosemen.

Gates promptly applied the gag rule by ruling him out of order. Wright appealed from the decision of the chair, but was again ruled out of order and took his seat. Assemblyman Benedict moved that the convention be adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning and Assemblyman Brown objected.

"Let's meet this issue here and now," said Brown. "What's the use of postponing the fight? We are ready to fight you. You know our cause is just. Why the machine you Bull Moosemen rant about looks up like a religious organization compared to the 'Progressive' machine in California. The time is coming when the Taft men must leave this convention, so let's get busy and have it over."

Benedict's motion finally prevailed after considerable wrangling and the convention, but Lisner requested him to frame the platform. While there is uncertainty as to several provisions, it is expected it will be adopted practically unchanged. One of the most important provisions of the proposal to submit to the people the question of calling a constitutional

convention to simplify the Constitution. The Lisner-Rowell platform points out that the Constitution has been complex and unwieldy and that the early hours of the post-war initiative and referendum laws the evil will increase unless there is great simplification. It endorses the Johnson administration and says that "bore rule has been entirely eliminated in California."

It is declared that this plan was introduced at the request of Lisner and Finn. It states that "public servants are appointed for efficiency and faithfulness."

Other planks touch on "social justice," short ballot, the investigation of occupational diseases, publicity of labor statistics and further regulation of weights and measures.

The Democratic State Convention was marked by bitter verbal clashes between the Bell and Phelan factions during the early hours of the post-war. Theodore Bell suffered a crushing defeat when his candidate for the chairmanship, Mayor J. C. Owens of Richmond, was overwhelmingly defeated by Senator Caminetti of Amador. The Phelan candidate, before the roll call was completed Caminetti was unanimously elected. The Bell delegates realizing they were up against it, Bryan addressed the convention and received a high ovation. The Democrats held a session this evening to consider the platform and Presidential electors.

## NIP AND TUCK IN BAY STATE.

Only Light Vote Is Cast at the Primaries in Which Chief Contest Is for Governorship Nominations.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Incomplete returns from the Massachusetts primaries at 10 o'clock tonight indicate the renomination of Gov. Eugene N. Foss by the Democrats over Joseph C. Pelletier. The contest for the Republican nomination for Governor is close and Everett C. Benton had but a slight lead over his opponent, Joseph C. Walker, in many of the towns. The polls did not close until 9 o'clock. A light vote was cast throughout the State.

Return for Governor in the Massachusetts primaries today from the city of Boston, complete, give: Democratic—Benton, 7319; Walker, 5533.

Democratic—Foss, 25,310; Pelletier, 15,472.

These Republicans had no opposition for renomination for Congress: Fred H. Gillett, Second District; William H. Wilder, Third; Augustus P. Gardner, Sixth; Ernest W. Kobert, Ninth, and Robert O. Harris, Fourteenth.

The renomination of J. A. Thayer, Democrat, the Fourth District, also was unopposed.

The Progressives were not included in the primary.

"UNPRINCIPLED OUTLAWRY."

Rebel Gen. Campa Denounces the Mexican Revolution Which He Admits He Originated.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
TUCSON (Ariz.) Sept. 24.—Declaring that the Mexican revolution had become "unprincipled outlawry with which I could no longer afford to be associated," Gen. Emilio H. Campa and his aides are awaiting the action of Mexico and the United States.

The arrest of Campa at Tucson by United States officers is said to have been brought about by information obtained by Consul Cuesta from the wife of a rebel leader several weeks ago.

Campa in a statement yesterday laid claim to having been the originator of the present revolution. The United States authorities expressed the belief that the men could not be held as they crossed the line with nothing outable.

BRYAN'S DAY  
IN SACRAMENTO.Likes Republican System Better  
Than Democratic.Arrives to Find Bell Lamenting  
Defeat.Friend of the Commoner  
Lands Chairmanship.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SACRAMENTO, Sept. 24.—Unshowered into the Assembly chamber of the California Legislature to the tune of Dixie, introduced standing under the portrait of Abraham Lincoln as "the great commoner" to an audience composed in part of influential Republicans, William Jennings Bryan spoke this afternoon for a little less than an hour to a Democratic convention that had just chosen unanimously as its temporary chairman Senator A. Caminetti of Amador, a man pledged to the policies of Bryan, and elected on the strength of his pledge.

Bryan arrived a moment after the utter rout of the forces led by Theodore A. Bell, who opposed him in the Baltimore convention. Of the ninety-odd votes in this convention, the Woodrow Wilson League, supporting Caminetti, had conceded forty to the two candidates in opposition—Mayor Owens of Richmond, supported by Bell, and Assemblyman J. W. Guiberson of Kings county, put forward as an unaffiliated independent. On call of the roll they received combined less than 25.

CAMINETTI CHAIRMAN.

It was announced without count that Caminetti had been elected and, on motion, the election was made unanimous at 2:36 p.m., after the convention had been in session just one hour and nine minutes. Guy Scott of San Francisco, secretary of the Woodrow Wilson League of California, was made temporary secretary of the convention, which adjourned until 7 o'clock tonight.

Once Caminetti was elected, all opposition to him collapsed. He was successfully empowered to name a committee of seven on credentials, a committee of nine on organization and order of business and a committee of twenty-seven on platform and resolutions consisting of two delegates from each Congressional district and five delegates-at-large.

With the power of these appointments in his hands, there was no question that Caminetti would be made permanent chairman and that his forces would control the Democratic State Central Committee, of which Robert De Witt of Fresno is now chairman. There could be no further fight, because the minority had no tools left to fight with.

LOOKS DOWN ON WALLACE.

As Bryan took the platform, he looked down on Lieut. Gov. Wallace, Speaker A. H. Hewitt of the Assembly, Frank Griffin, executive secretary to Gov. Hiram Johnson, and Francis J. Henry.

Perhaps he had his audience in mind when, in the course of his speech, he declared that Gov. Johnson's address at Chicago had been "the gem of the convention" and that in his opinion the claim of the contested Roosevelt delegates from San Francisco—disallowed by the National Committee—was as just as their case had been interesting.

Mr. Bryan's speech, however, was almost devoid of personalities. His mention of Gov. Johnson went no further. He referred to Theodore Roosevelt, but imperiously, and Mr. Taft's name was mentioned incidentally once.

The burden of his thought was a series of recommendations to the convention for consideration before they voted that the party platform be adopted. He said that they had not done when he spoke.

BRYAN'S SPEECH.

In part he said:

"I have no thought of seeing any party—not even a new party—monopolize all the virtues. And if such a monopoly should exist, the party possessing it would become stationary. It would seek no new members, because already it would include in its own membership all possible good."

"But as I grew older, I discovered that there were good Republicans and bad Democrats and I am spending my life trying to put the bad Democrats out of the Democratic party and to win the good Republicans into it."

"I am an evangelist-at-large. I hold no office and I have no business except to study and discourse on public affairs. I have but one interest—to help make this government better."

"For three months of the year I work to live. It takes all the rest of my time to repay to the American people the great debt I owe them and I shall be all the rest of the years of my life at it."

HIS RECOMMENDATIONS.

Mr. Bryan passed to his specific recommendations. They were:

(1) The New Zealand postal vote, by which traveling men and other absentees might retain their votes while absent away from home. The measure, he argued, saved the individual expense and preserved to the community a measure of intelligence now lost.

(2) A modification of the State primary law.

(3) More stringent trust laws.

(4) Strict supervision of campaign expenditures and contributions.

(5) Supervision of public monies at interest.

THE PRIMARY LAW.

Mr. Bryan gave most of his time to discussion of the State primary law, and to an arraignment of Theodore Roosevelt's position on the trusts, which he thought less logical than that of the Socialists.

"At Chicago," he said in discussing primaries, "I thought the progressive delegates had a clear case. I thought the preponderance of right was on their side, and yet I thought there was some right in the position of their opponents. In that California had changed the national system of representation and, as it seemed to me, changed it to disadvantage."

"The primary has come to stay. Not again, I believe, shall we nominate a President by convention, but—no great will be the extension, but—presidential primaries in the next four years—by the people from their homes."

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you adopt a primary plank in your party platform will bring the law of California into harmony with the tendency of the times. I suggest that you pledge the party to permit the people of each district to select their own delegates and thus to bring representation nearer to the voters.

"In the Democratic party we have the unit rule. I believe it is a bad rule. I believe the Republican system of representation by districts is the better one and though I do not question that the men who framed the trusts are necessary, they are chosen at large and not by the vote of those whom they represent."

ON THE TRUSTS.

In reference to the trusts Mr. Bryan said:

"Mr. Taft is in favor of enforcing the laws that exist—he doesn't believe in any new ones—and yet he enforces them in such a way as to please the defendant."

Mr. Roosevelt's platform goes farther. He takes the position that the trusts are necessary and that his position is sound economics. The whole tendency of monopoly is to overthrow economic law.

"Wherever you have a monopoly you find four things: Pressure down on the price of raw materials; pressure up on the price of finished materials; lowering of the quality of the finished goods; despotic management."

"Mr. Roosevelt is proposing the opening of a door he can not close. The Socialists are more logical in his theory. Admit that the trust is an economic development—come to stay—and you can not beat the second half of his proposition that the government must own the trust."

To the amusement of Democrats Mr. Bryan was captured by his progressives and addressed them briefly before entering the Democratic convention.

"In the long run," he said, "the















# GOV. WILSON CASTS BALLOT.

Then He Delivers Speech on  
Bosses and Trusts.

He Wouldn't Squeeze Water  
Out of Combines.

Criticizes the Programme of  
the Third Party.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
PRINCETON (N. J.) Sept. 24.—Gov. Woodrow Wilson came here today for the first time since he became the Presidential nominee of the Democratic party. Escorted by a procession of students the former president of Princeton University rode in an automobile through the streets while the students cheered. The Governor went to a booth and voted for William Hughes, who is a candidate at today's primary election for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator against former Senator James Smith, Jr.

**GOVERNOR TALKS.**  
When the Governor came out of the voting booth he mounted the steps of a church and talked about the bosses and trusts.

"The boss merely as a political organizer," the Governor said, "is not dangerous."  
"I have known some of these gentlemen personally," he added, "and I know exactly how they work. They haven't any politics at all. There is no difference between a Democratic and a Republican boss because neither of them is working for his party. They are both working for their clients and their clients wish to see that men do not get into office who thwart them and that laws are not passed that embarrass their business."

"The chief supporters of the Democratic boss, if he happens to be in the majority, are often those most closely associated with the Republican boss and vice versa."

**THE THIRD PARTY.**  
The Governor spoke of the proposal of the third party to regulate trusts by means of an industrial commission and continued:

"I don't want to regulate trusts. I want to put them on their mettle. I want to see that they can't put anything out of business except by doing business better than anybody else. I do not want to squeeze the water out of their stocks. I want to put the water in a tank on their backs and see if they can carry that water against the men who are doing business without any water to carry. Then either they will break under the strain or get rid of the water themselves because they can't carry water and do business against competition."

The Governor left this afternoon for New York.

**A ROOSEVELT FAILING.**  
Bryan Tells Auditors at Hanford That Third Term Candidate Is Over-Confident.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
STOCKTON, Sept. 24.—William J. Bryan arrived in Stockton at 10 o'clock this afternoon on a special Santa Fe train from Southern California, and was met at the station by a committee consisting of eighty business men, also by hundreds of school children and about 1,000 men and women. As Bryan stepped from the train he was welcomed by Chairman L. Frank Kuhn of the County Democratic Committee; A. C. Oulahan, who subsequently introduced him, and others. He went to the Courthouse plaza, where he was given an ovation by a vast concourse of people who had gathered to hear him. Bryan spoke from an improvised platform in the center of the public square.

The commoner delivered an address characteristic of his present tour. He referred to Roosevelt and Taft in caustic terms and urged his hearers to support Wilson. The speaker was in fine trim and seemed to have all his old-time fire.

**WANTS FOR MR. TAFT.**  
New Jersey Governor Desires to Pay His Respects to the President.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Gov. Woodrow Wilson waited at the Pennsylvania railroad station for several minutes this afternoon hoping to pay his respects to President Taft en route to New York from Washington. The Governor, who reached the city from Princeton at 2:48 o'clock, was disappointed when he was informed that the President's train would not arrive until long after 3 o'clock.

**PRESIDENT IN GOTHAM.**  
NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—President Taft reached New York over the Pennsylvania railroad from Washington shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon and went at once to the home of his brother, Henry W. Taft. His train was due at 3:17, but was late.

**CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETS.**

San Francisco Republican Organization Elects Officers and Takes Steps to Protect President's Interests.  
(BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—The eighteen Taft members of the San Francisco County Central Committee met last night and elected officers and members to the full number of ninety. Albert E. Castle was elected chairman, Fred L. Hansen, vice-chairman, and Charles H. Forbes, secretary. Included in the membership at large are Mrs. California Newton, Mrs. A. R. Totton, Mrs. Murray Bailey, Mrs. Goodman Lowenthal and Mrs. Abbie F. Krebs.  
A telegram was sent to Senator Edward I. Wolfe of San Francisco at Sacramento urging him to protect in the State convention the interests of President Taft.

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Know It?

## NOTED DANCER HIDING NAME.

Returns to Childhood Home  
to See Parents.

Beginning of Her Career  
Early San Pedro.

Finds Our Women Strange,  
Men the Finest.

Home after eighteen years with a  
name that is famous throughout Eu-  
rope but stands for nothing to  
friends who were present at the in-  
ception of her career as a devotee of  
the Terpsichorean art, Adeline Boyer  
is visiting her parents in Los Angeles.  
Their name she will not reveal, hav-  
ing taken a stage appellation rather  
than after affording an opportunity to  
them to feel a trace of sorrow for any-  
thing which her career might have  
brought forth.

At a little church social given by  
the Catholic parish in San Pedro when  
she was a child she was called upon to  
fill in a number that had been un-  
avoidably dropped. "The neighbors  
had seen me dancing to any music  
that happened along and, with the  
consent of my mother, they blacked  
my face, put me in gingham and I  
went through a dance of my own con-  
ception to whatever was played on the  
wheezy melodeon which furnished the  
instrumental accompaniment," she  
said last night in recounting her first  
experience before the public.

In a stunning Parisian creation in  
millinery, as well as in dress, she sat  
in her suite at the Lankershim, lan-  
guidly discussing American men and  
American women, music of this coun-  
try as compared with that of Eu-  
rope, early recollections of her career  
and her final rise to a pinnacle of  
achievement abroad, where she has  
appeared in St. Petersburg, Berlin,  
London, Paris, Vienna and other large  
cities before crowned heads and the  
great nobility in the ranks of the great  
opera companies and more recently  
in expositions of pantomime plays.

"American women are strange crea-  
tures after long association with the  
femininity of France and other con-  
tinent countries," she said. "They are  
too independent and have forgotten  
how to enjoy the opposite sex. Man  
to them is almost immaterial to pro-  
gress, while to a French woman life  
without him is a barren waste. A  
man is cake, and who would want  
cake every day of the week, or at  
every meal? The American men I  
have met have always impressed me  
more than those of any other race."

"You are married, then?" was sug-  
gested, "and wedded to one of these  
fine Americans?"

"Yes, I am wedded, but not to man.  
My art is my all," she declared. "It  
is possible that I might have just  
as well were I to marry, but I think  
that with matrimony must come a  
greater love and therefore a deter-  
mined probably in the acting. This is  
not always a fact, but has frequently  
happened."

From here the topic changed to  
the dance as it has come to Amer-  
ica, particularly the dance of the peo-  
ple. "Do you like the Texas Tommy,  
the Grizzly Bear, and others of the  
ragtime variety that have set society  
by the ears and caused so much com-  
ment?" she was asked.

"They are American, typically  
American, and are the nearest ap-  
proach to a particular and nation-  
al dancing that this country has  
yet evolved, and show a trend toward  
something that is characteristic, like  
the Russian dances, the Hungarian  
dances, the Spanish Terpsichorean ac-  
complishments. They are set to at-  
tractive music, a music which shows  
a trend from the fearfully un-  
melodious ragtime offerings of ten  
years ago, to a vein approaching fair  
light-operative creations of European  
composers."

Miss Boyer, who has danced clear  
around the world, maintaining her  
studio home in St. John's Woods, the  
artist colony of London where Whis-  
leians, actors and authors have con-  
gregated. "I am here to see my father-  
in-law," she said, in explaining  
her visit. "My mother and I have  
been with me much since I started to study  
dramatic art. I want a quiet rest, the  
first I have had in years, and am go-  
ing to have it here."

Local Music Dealers No Longer  
Discriminated Against by the  
Revenue Regulations.

Collector of Customs Pendleton  
has achieved a victory of importance  
to the music dealers of the West, as  
a result of which those on the Coast,  
and especially in Los Angeles, will be  
able to compete with dealers in that  
line of goods in the eastern market.

The regulations have handicapped  
dealers in musical instruments and  
their accessories for years, as they  
have been deprived of a large amount  
of trade that really belonged to them.  
This was caused by fixing the duty  
for eastern importers from 10 to 15  
per cent. lower than those of their  
western counterparts, a discount  
was brought about by a discount  
in the valuation in favor of the eastern  
houses by reason of the fact that they  
imported larger quantities than those  
in the West.

The discount was given to no  
houses west of St. Louis. Its absence  
here made westward houses pay  
of 45 per cent. of the full valuation,  
while the eastern importers paid duty  
only in accordance with the purchase  
price of the goods regardless of the  
valuation.

Collector Pendleton, at the recent  
meeting of collectors and appraisers  
in New York, presented the protest  
of local musical instrument dealers  
and yesterday notice was received  
that hereafter eastern dealers must  
pay on the full valuation whether or  
not they are favored with a discount  
on the purchase price.

## She Dances Clear Around the World.



Adeline Boyer, California girl who has achieved international fame as an interpreter of the Terpsichorean muse and who started her career at San Pedro, when as a little girl she demonstrated her native ability at a little church social about eighteen years ago. She holds her family name in secret, declining to tell who are the parents she is here to visit while resting from a strenuous season in Russia.

## Broadway Sale.

## LARGE FUND PROVIDED FOR CHILDREN'S GOOD.

THE immediate carrying out of the  
project of the Children's Hospital  
Association to build at Vermont  
avenue and Sunset boulevard a com-  
plete and modern institution for the  
care of children was made a certainty  
yesterday, when the value of prop-  
erty of the association at Nos. 543-545-547  
South Broadway was sold to a local  
syndicate for \$225,000 cash. The funds  
derived from this sale will at once  
be appropriated for construction of  
the four-story building, for the prop-  
erty was recently completed by Hunt  
& Burns.

The sale involved sixty feet front-  
age on the west side of Broadway just  
opposite Mercantile Place, with a  
depth of 155 feet. The improvements  
consisting of a four-story brick build-  
ing. The buying syndicate, composed  
of Annie C. Severance, LeRoy Ma-  
comber, Tod Ford, Freeman A. Ford  
and others, was represented in the  
transaction by the Title Insurance and  
Trust Company. The sale was made  
through R. A. Rowan & Co.

A peculiar feature attaches to the  
deal and accounts for the ridiculously  
low figure commanded by the prop-  
erty. As the real men would ex-  
press it, "the holding was literally sold  
sewed up" that it was not worth the  
market anything near its intrinsic  
value, as gauged by the prices asked  
for adjoining property. Eleven years  
ago, when Broadway property south  
of Fifth was somewhat of a drug on  
the market and not particularly fa-  
vorable for speculation, a lease for  
thirty-five years, covering the prop-  
erty, was executed at the rate of \$200  
a month. The owner, Mrs. Eliza  
Woodwin, at the same time gave the

property to the Children's Hospital  
Association with the end that it might  
be for the society a permanent in-  
vestment. The holding was bequeathed  
to the association at any time it might  
choose, the funds to be devoted to  
building a suitable hospital for chil-  
dren.

Today a twenty-foot store in the  
same locality commands from \$750 to  
\$1000 a month, but this has been poor  
consolation to the hospital associa-  
tion, which has had to be content  
with its \$200 a month for the whole  
property. The holding would actual-  
ly have remained a structural white  
elephant upon the organization's  
hands until 1921, if it had not been sold,  
and the association was eager to in-  
crease its power for service at once.

The site of the new Children's Hos-  
pital was bequeathed to the associa-  
tion recently by Mrs. Emma E. Phil-  
lips and consists of four acres front-  
ing on Sunset boulevard. The plans  
of the architecture provide for four  
reinforced concrete, brick and tile  
buildings, a central building, general  
ward building, nurses' home and  
powerhouse. Provision is also made  
for three wards to be added in the  
future. The present group, with  
equipment will cost between \$150,000  
and \$200,000.

The hospital is managed by a board  
of seven directors, elected by mem-  
bers of the society, together with a  
board of managers composed of the  
directors and ten or more appointees.  
The present officers are Mrs. Albert  
Bowman, president; Mrs. William T.  
Johnson, vice-president; Mrs. T. F.  
Newlin, treasurer; Mrs. Hamilton  
Bowman, recording secretary; Mrs.  
Edwin S. Rowley, corresponding  
secretary, and Mrs. Benjamin L.  
Harding, auditor.

## Charter Draft In.

## WOULD MAKE RADICAL CHANGES IN COUNTY.

JUST twenty minutes before ex-  
piration of the legal time in  
which to file the draft of the new  
county charter, the Board of Free-  
holders placed it in the hands of the  
County Clerk yesterday.

The clerk office closes at 6  
o'clock. It was 4:40 when a breath-  
less messenger rushed in and handed  
over the folio. Five minutes before  
the last signature was attached by  
Freeholder J. M. Hunter.

Formality was dispensed with when  
the chairman called the final meet-  
ing of the board to order at 3:30  
p.m., and the members signed.

It had been suggested that a spe-  
cial gold pen be used and that this  
be preserved by the county, but this  
time pressed and an ordinary  
pen was found good enough.

It belongs to Works, who says he  
will keep it as a memento. Signa-  
tures were affixed in the following  
order: Lewis R. Works, Frederick  
Baker, Willis H. Booth, H. Hud-  
ley, William Evans, H. C. Hubbard,

J. M. Hunter, G. F. Kernaghan,  
Frank R. Seaver, J. H. Strine and  
Charles Welborn. Senator Hewitt,  
A. M. Sawyer and K. W. Thompson  
are out of the city and blank spaces  
were left for their names.

"The members of this board," said  
Chairman Works, "wish it fully un-  
derstood that each section of the  
charter was passed to final draft  
with a complete concurrence of faith  
and its ratification by the Legisla-  
ture was passed upon and accepted as a  
whole."

"We believe that while there are  
some radical changes in government  
system contained in the charter, its  
passage by the people at the election  
and its ratification by the Legisla-  
ture will prove a boon to all the  
people of the county. There is no  
doubt that it will result in a great  
improvement in the government of the county. We  
worked long and earnestly, with  
complete realization of all the re-  
sponsibility placed upon us, and each  
trying to accomplish the same aim."

"There are twelve articles and several  
miscellaneous features in all in the

# Part II—The City and Its Environs.

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Thirst Problem.

## "WET" OR "DRY" LIVING ISSUE.

Question of Harbor Zone to  
Be Voters' Care.

Council Decides to Submit at  
City Election.

Arguments and Petitions on  
Subject Presented.

A bout between the "wets" and the  
"drys" was staged before the City  
Council yesterday, with San Pedro  
and Wilmington the prize at stake.  
Neither side was accorded a decision,  
but it was determined that the ques-  
tion of a "dry" zone, to include San  
Pedro and Wilmington, will be given  
to the voters to decide at the next  
municipal election.

A number of arguments for and  
against the elimination of liquors from  
the harbor end of the municipality  
were made and both sides seemed con-  
fident of the result when the citizens  
are given a vote on it.

The "drys" were marshaled by Rev.  
Percival H. Hickman, pastor of St.  
Peter's Episcopal Church, San Pedro.  
He has been active for years in the  
anti-liquor fight at the harbor.

Three petitions asking that "dry"  
zones be created were presented to  
the Council. One contained the names  
of thirty-four San Pedro business men.  
In addition to the business men of San  
Pedro and Wilmington, the Council  
Chamber was packed by representa-  
tives of various civic organizations.

THE OPENING GUN.

Councilman Luak opened the en-  
gagement by asking for a report on  
the number of signatures represented  
on the petitions on each side. A pe-  
tition in opposition to the proposed  
restriction had been filed. It bears the  
signatures of 1235 voters, including  
a majority of the business men of San  
Pedro, it is said.

San Pedro Mayor Haas, representing  
the San Pedro saloon owners, de-  
clared it would be unjust to allow 200  
saloons and numerous cafes and nearly  
100 wholesale liquor houses in Los An-  
geles proper and prohibit the sale of  
liquor at San Pedro. He asserted  
such action would be contrary to the  
policies made before the consolidation.

Senator Carter, representing Wil-  
mington, declared two patrolmen po-  
lice the ten square miles of Wilming-  
ton and seldom find it necessary to  
make an arrest for drunkenness.

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## Public Service: City Hall, Courts.

## SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The City Council yesterday authorized minor changes in the San Pedro street franchise before sending it to the printer, and clearly indicated that it will brook no further delay in re-issuing Main-street traffic congestion. A debate between Councilmen and members of the Alembic Club and Good Government Organization developed over the franchise.

The Council yesterday authorized the employment of twenty-five more men in the Street Assessment Bureau and a force to make maps needed for the Aqueduct Power Bureau.

The franchise for the first section of the South-Main-street extension for the Los Angeles Railway Corporation was ordered advertised by the City Council yesterday.

It is believed the "unwritten law" will be invoked in the trial of a carpenter for the murder of a Southern Pacific brakeman who was killed as he was leaving the house of the former's wife.

## At the City Hall.

STANDS FIRM  
ON FRANCHISE.COUNCIL IS NOT MOVED BY  
WORDY ARGUMENTS.

Bitter Controversy Develops When Alembic Club and Good Government Organization Attempt to Secure Revocation of Former Action on Relief Railroad Outlet.

The City Council clearly indicated yesterday that it will not stand further delay in obtaining relief from traffic congestion on Main street, and that it will support the plan to grant a second-year franchise to the Pacific Electric for the use of San Pedro street from Aliso street to Ninth street.

The advertisement of the sale of this franchise was before the Council, at the request of the City Attorney, for the purpose of authorizing him to make some minor changes in the wording before it is placed in the printer's hands. This authorization was given and publications will be begun today. The Council will open bids on the franchise next Tuesday.

According to schedule, however, the Alembic Club and the Good Government Organization were there in an effort to secure revocation of the Council's action, or further delay.

They failed, but they did develop a debate in which there were frequent personalities, and which at one stage became a controversy between T. E. Gibson and Councilman Andrews. McKenzie and Topham, who maintained that Gibson had reversed his position in regard to the use of San Pedro street by an interurban road.

Andrews read portions of the Hon. J. Arnold report, in which the granting of a franchise to the Pacific Electric for the use of San Pedro street for an outlet for the interurban lines and as a means of relief for Main street was recommended, and declared that Gibson's endorsement of this report was followed by a change of attitude.

Gibson declared the use proposed was only until such time as the city should have need of the route, and that in the face of the present situation there could be no doubt that the city would be cut out of the use of the street for any practical railroad purpose if the Pacific Electric were allowed to go on it with the great volume of traffic developed and that which is certain to develop.

Dr. John R. Haynes, F. C. Finkle and T. E. Gibson composed the committee sent to represent the Good Government Organization and present the resolutions adopted the previous day, in which the Council was asked to rescind its action. Each of these men took part in the acrimonious debate with the Alembic Club members, and the subject was taken to a vote of the people at once, as this would save the expense of a referendum. Finkle declared that the use of the street for a municipal road would be lost if the franchise was granted and insisted that similar alternatives are back of the sentiment to grant a franchise on the street.

Secretary Chase of the Alembic Club attempted to speak, after the debate had been prolonged to the great discomfort of the large number of persons who were assembled for the hearing on the San Pedro "dry" zone question, but was shut off by a demand from Councilman McKenzie that the latter question should be taken up.

Chase made an amusing spectacle of himself by his sotto-voce threats to "get" McKenzie, either through the activities of the Alembic Club, or personally.

Councilman Betkowski finally shut off the air by declaring that the opponents could accomplish nothing at this time, as the subject will come before the Council again next Tuesday when the bids are opened.

Read is now the only member of the Council who stands against the San Pedro street franchise. He is in Berkeley, attending a meeting of the American Municipalities Association, and is expected back in time for next Tuesday's session. He may try to delay action.

**Will Discuss Sanitation.**  
The Citizens' Committee on Infantile Paralysis will meet in the Council chamber tonight at 8 o'clock, when representatives of the health, police and street departments will discuss the conditions of the city and ways and means of bettering them.

## Will Employ More Men.

The City Council yesterday authorized the employment of about twenty-five more men in the bureau of street assessments, some of which will be used for a night force, in order to complete the assessment rolls on various big public improvements. The Council also authorized the employment of a corps of draughtsmen for the purpose of making maps of the underground construction needed by the Aqueduct Power Bureau.

**Main-street Franchises.**  
The advertisement of the South Main-street franchise, from Third to sixth place to Slauson avenue, for an extension of the Los Angeles Railway Corporation's line, was ordered by the City Council yesterday, and bids will be opened on October 15. This is to be a straight twenty-one-year franchise, and the road is to be completed within fifteen months.

The franchise for an extension of the line from Slauson avenue to Manchester avenue, which is to be constructed within three years from the time it is awarded, was sent by the

## Council to the Board of Public Utilities.

On each of these lines the ninety-pound Trolley rail must be used. A minimum bid of \$100 has been placed on the first franchise mentioned.

## Slauson Avenue Again.

Property owners on Slauson avenue, from Central avenue to the old western city limits, appeared in the Council chamber yesterday to continue their protest against the acceptance of the work on the improvement of this street on the same grounds they have previously maintained. They allege that the specifications were not followed by the contractor and that instead of being six inches thick the base of this work is only four and a half to five inches.

Shovels were used as the base, and it is now conceded that it is too hard to bind well with the other material, but representatives of the City Engineer's office state that with use the road will develop into a good highway.

Contractor Oswald wanted an immediate settlement, as he has about \$100,000 tied up in the contract; but the property owners insisted that further examination be made by engineers, and the Council continued the subject for one week for the purpose of making a final inspection of the street, after the contractor has made repairs suggested by the City Engineer.

## Tax on Free Lunches.

The City Council was not able to finish its list of business yesterday, and adjourned to meet at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Among the items of interest to be considered today is a proposed change in the liquor tax ordinance, providing that a tax of \$25 per month in addition to any other tax required shall be paid by every person, firm or corporation selling, serving or giving away intoxicating liquors, where any meal, lunch, food, viand or edible is given away. This is the outcome of the recent attempt to eliminate the free lunches from Los Angeles saloons.

## Are They Eligible?

The plan of the Mayor to reorganize the Municipal Railroad Commission by making it a board of three, one from the Harbor Commission, another from the Public Utilities Board and the third a citizen, was before the Council yesterday. Councilman Topham declared in favor of the third member being a Councilman; Councilman McKenzie thought that this board ought to be a board of three, one from the Harbor Commission, another from the Public Utilities Board and the third a citizen, was before the Council yesterday. Councilman Topham declared in favor of the third member being a Councilman; Councilman McKenzie thought that this board ought to be a board of three, one from the Harbor Commission, another from the Public Utilities Board and the third a citizen, was before the Council yesterday.

**Must Be Twenty-One.**  
The City Council yesterday passed the ordinance prohibiting the issuance of licenses as elevator operators to persons under 21 years. It also adopted an ordinance requiring the furnishing of safety appliances for persons engaged in work on the exterior of buildings more than two stories in height.

## Silver Lake Parkway.

The ordinance of intention to condemn lands for the proposed Silver Lake Parkway, to connect Whittier district with Griffith Park, was passed by the City Council yesterday. Objections were made last week that the scheme was not comprehensive enough, but the protest was denied.

## Would Sell Fine Lot.

Upon the recommendation of the Public Service Commission, the Council yesterday adopted an ordinance of intention to sell the lot at the southwest corner of Olive and Fifth streets, acquired several years ago by the water department for a public water tank site. The minimum price placed upon this property is \$270,000.

## Dayton-Avenue Franchise.

The Los Angeles Railway Corporation is to be granted certain streets on the Eagle Rock Valley line legalized by the granting of a franchise over Dayton avenue and other streets. The City Council authorized yesterday, the advertisement of the sale of this franchise.

## Important Link.

The ordinance of intention to pave Seventh street, from Boyle avenue to Utah street, was adopted by the City Council yesterday. This is an important link in the plan to pave an outlet to the eastern city limits by way of Stephenson avenue, the paving contract for which was awarded last week by the Board of Public Works. It will make a direct highway for connection with the county highway to Whittier.

## Contract for Road Oil.

The Board of Public Works awarded to the Brashear Construction Company, yesterday, the contract for furnishing 15,000 barrels of road oil for use on the city's streets. The price is \$1.084 per barrel. This oil contains 78.93 per cent. of asphalt.

## Cement Plant Purchase.

The Council adopted the report of the Public Welfare Committee, yesterday, to the effect that it is the intention of the city to take steps toward acquiring the aqueduct cement plant at Monolith, if a way to finance the project can be worked out. Councilman Whiffen, head of the Finance Committee, reviewed the city's financial situation, and declared that at present there is no way that this project can be handled, but the Council put itself on record as favoring the purchase if the money can be raised.

## GIVES CHECK; STOPS PAYMENT.

Because he stopped payment on a check for \$100, given as part payment for an automobile, J. N. Sewall was made defendant yesterday by the Brandenburg-Pearson Company on a charge of having issued a check when he had no funds in the bank. Witnesses from the bank proved that Pearson had had a deposit large enough to cover the check, and Justice Young dismissed the complaint. Pearson was dissatisfied with the car, which he bought second hand, and did not want to pay for it until dispute with the company was adjusted.

## SMUGGLING INDICTMENTS.

The Federal grand jury returned indictments yesterday against Elmer Hall, Antonio Felix, Harry Lloyd and William J. Gentry, all alleged to have been recently engaged in smuggling Chinese.

## Something for Nothing

Times Bookstore's Capital. Valuable prizes were obtained by participating in the given away.

UNWRITTEN LAW  
COMING BACK?RETURN ENGAGEMENT PROM-  
ISED IN MURDER TRIAL.

Carpenter Kills Brakeman After Trying to Get Witnesses to Wife's Alleged Forcible—Pending Trial of Discrepant Suit, Children in Mother's Custody.

The unwritten law may be called into play by the defense in the trial of Samuel A. Adams in Judge McCormick's court for the slaying of John Easton, a Southern Pacific brakeman. If this proves to be the case, it will have been the first time in this county it has been invoked.

Adams is a carpenter who, on the night of March 4 last, stabbed Easton, after the latter had left the house where Mrs. Adams made her home. There were no eye witnesses to the killing, but in order to show the apparent intent, Asst. Dist. Atty. Ford says he has witnesses who were approached by Adams and asked to accompany him to his wife's house with the alleged intention of surprising Easton in her company.

An important witness called yesterday was F. H. Hartman, who testified Adams went to his home and persuaded him to go. Hartman said Adams asked him to go to the rear of the house while Adams stood on the front porch, but Hartman replied that he was not hunting trouble and said he stood on the sidewalk.

On cross-examination by Earl Rogers, Hartman said he looked through the window and saw Easton and Mrs. Adams on a couch. This admission was used by the defense to prove the contention of Adams that he was seeking witnesses for evidence of the untimeliness of his wife to have the custody of their three children.

Tending the trial of the Adams divorce suit, the children were awarded to the custody of Mrs. Adams. This was the defense's contention. Adams, who sought a means of obtaining the children so that they could be in his own charge.

Adams is a member of a well-known Tennessee family. His father, now deceased, was a minister, and a brother, W. B. Adams, is superintendent of the Santa Ana public schools. His sister-in-law was in court yesterday, offering her sympathy.

Attorney E. A. Miller is associated with Adams in the defense of Adams. The jurors finally selected yesterday are Claude E. Kincaid, Charles H. Lee, L. J. Rice, Councilman Andrews, Frank Hines, L. C. Flores, G. W. Pollock, J. R. Henry and S. A. Pepper.

PAYS HER TRIBUTE.  
WITNESS LAUDS WOMAN.

The distinction of having obtained her money from a money-lender later convicted of embezzlement, was made a point of honor by Emma A. Thorne by Mrs. Mathews, a witness in an action to have Mrs. Thorne and her husband, Hiram, removed from the premises owned by Mrs. Mathews was called to pass on the business capacity of Mrs. Thorne.

The petition was filed by Ralph E. Thorne, a son, who stated his mother is laboring under the delusion that her husband's affections have been alienated from her by Mrs. Mathews to dispose of her property without consideration.

Judge Fitch of Glen county heard the case and decided that the old folks are competent to manage their own affairs. The property consists of a house, No. 1392 Newton street.

FIGHT STILL ON.  
CARLSON GOES HIGHER.

Milton Carlson, deposed Swedish Vice-Consul, will carry his fight to the Appellate Court on a writ of prohibition. Judge Bordwell granted a writ of mandamus yesterday, for or in the petition of William Matson, Swedish Consul in San Francisco. Carlson is required to turn over to his successor, Gottlieb Eckdahl, the archives of his office.

Matson filed an affidavit setting out the facts, and this was attacked yesterday by Attorney MacGowan, representing Carlson. MacGowan held that Matson should take the initiative in the removal of Carlson.

Carlson asserts his removal is unjustified and that he has come at a time when he is doing important work for Sweden in the way of getting trade when the Panama Canal shall be opened. He is now working to establish a Swedish Chamber of Commerce in this city. Matson says his government wants a bigger man as Vice-Consul.

MOTHER LOVE.  
TROUBLE OVER SON.

The love of Mrs. John Level for her 3-year-old son John, called for a dramatic appearance in the Juvenile Court yesterday, only on this occasion she was under arrest, charged with having kidnapped the boy. The domestic trouble of the Levels will shortly be aired in the Divorce Court.

The court ordered the boy to the custody of a Mrs. Sullivan of Montebello, and Mrs. Level carried her charge that John was kidnapped by her. The warrant was served by Miss Parker, probation officer, and it looked grave for John Level until she told her story, which was corroborated by a friend. She said she opened the door to a man who told her John was in a room and that this was more than she could afford to pay. Mrs. Level took the boy home, intending to return him.

ESTATE IS SETTLED.  
LEGACIES UNDER WILL.

The administration of the estate of the late Mrs. Carrie M. Jones was concluded yesterday when the final account and petition for distribution was received. \$100,000. The estate was settled by stipulation. The estate is worth approximately \$150,000. One of the largest beneficiaries is the University of California, which received \$100,000. The sum will be paid the board of regents and is to be used for the edu-

tion of young men who are not financially able to take the course.

A legacy of \$50,000 is bequeathed to the Southwest Museum, and the Protestant Home gets \$10,000. The Maud B. Booth Home for Children receives \$20,000; the Congregational church, \$25,000; the city of Chester for its public library, \$20,000.

The residue of the estate is left to the brother and sister, W. L. Olla, Augusta J. Hubbard and Mary M. Hall, and John Morse, a nephew, who received one-sixth; Cassie R. Carter and Edna Olla, nieces, and Watson B. Olla, nephew, one-eighth; Edwin, James, Estline and Nelson Olla, nephews, one-twenty-fourth.

The attorneys' fees were fixed at \$20,000, a claim of \$4000 for extraordinary services in connection with the partial distribution of the estate being denied. The executor is the Southern Trust Company. The lawyers are Gage & Foley, and O'Melveny, Stevens & Millikin.

## COURTHOUSE NOTES.

## BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

**CREDITOR'S PETITION.** Alleging that the security on four acres at Somerset representing the estate of Mary S. Bruce is jeopardized, the premises neglected, cattle running wild and trees dying, Theresa Kidson, a creditor of the estate, petitioned yesterday for the appointment of William Bixby of Somerset as administrator. In her will, dated November 1 last, Mrs. Bruce named her son, Walter B. Bruce of Artesia, executor. He has declined to act. Mrs. Bruce died in Seattle July 26, last. In Somerset farm the estate has money due under contract for the sale of property at No. 402 West Forty-seventh street.

**DAMAGE SUIT.** While employed as a stockier by the Southern Pacific, Usher Company, November 25, last E. J. Robinson alleges in a complaint filed yesterday, he was seriously injured as he was standing in the vicinity of a large iron wheel on the crankshaft of a machine. A wedge had been driven between the wheel and later someone struck the wedge with a light hammer, with the result, according to Robinson, that the wedge flew out and struck him between the eyes, injuring his skull and impairing the sight. He asks \$50,000 damages.

**ADJOURNS COURT.** Judge Finlayson adjourned his court yesterday afternoon to allow the court attaché to attend the funeral of Charles F. Clark, a former bailiff of that department who died at Sierra Madre on Sunday after a lingering illness.

**INCORPORATIONS.** London and Alaska Fur and Curio Company, incorporators, J. Schenckels, G. N. Piner, J. D. Kornblum; capital stock, \$10,000; subscribed, \$10,000. Heaney Company, incorporators, G. Von Haack, R. B. Emery, H. O. Wheeler, Jr.; capital stock, \$20,000; subscribed, \$12,000. Albright Manufacturing Company, incorporators, A. L. Grahams, J. G. McLenore, George N. Turner; capital stock, \$10,000; subscribed, \$300.00. Los Angeles Motor Truck and Transfer Company, incorporators, J. P. Clark, J. E. Gunn, Van Horne, A. G. Keating, R. M. Henningsen, Frank Oliver, V. A. Van Horne, F. L. Englehardt; capital stock, \$250,000; subscribed, \$25,000.

## IN THE INTERIOR COURTS.

**Grocery Clerk Returns With Bacon and Mexican Who Tried to Make Away With It.**

"You should not be here as long as you took home the bacon," said Judge Rose yesterday to a clerk employed by E. J. Gunn in a grocery at No. 120 North Spring street. The young man testified he had detected J. Gomez in the act of hiding a side of bacon. The Mexican, he declared, put the meat under his coat and walked out of the store. The clerk took the bacon from Gomez and caused his arrest. Gomez was fined \$30 or thirty days.

## Girls Bite Cop's Arm.

Patrolman Whitman exhibited a lacerated arm in Police Judge Rose's court yesterday, and declared the wounds were received from two sisters, Marcella and Angelina Dewey, who bit him when he attempted to arrest them for possession. The girls admitting having indulged in liquor, but disclaimed any attack on Whitman. The court fined the girls \$10 or ten days in the House of Detention, and removed to the Boyle Heights Station to serve their sentence.

## Fair Speeder Is Fined.

Miss Maggie McKinnle, daughter of J. R. McKinnle, No. 1228 St. Andrews, was fined \$25 or ten days by Police Judge Rose yesterday for speeding on Pico street between Union and Bond. She is one of five speeders arrested yesterday. The father of Miss McKinnle asked for a suspended sentence, declaring the girl was late in taking some friends to a train. The court refused to remit the fine. The others fined \$25 are W. D. Barwell, G. Bosso, J. M. Higgins and C. R. Harp.

## NO MANNERS FOR HIM.

"I came into this world without manners, and I'll go out of it without them," is a remark that got Claude Johnson, 4190, into trouble, according to testimony yesterday before Justice Reeve, when Johnson was charged with having stabbed Reuben Crum in Alhambra three weeks ago. Johnson accused a girl in whom Crum was interested, the witness said, who reproved him for his lack of breeding. He replied facetiously, whereupon Crum started toward him and he would be the better for the change.

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## STIMSON'S MACHINE STOLEN.

Not the Political One but the Auto, and the Police Department Undergoes a Terrible Strain.

The police department has been subjected to a terrible strain. Marshal Stimson's automobile was stolen from the stand on Olive street between Fifth and Sixth streets, Monday afternoon. That is the street where all ungaraged automobiles turn patient noses to the curbing and beg the return of the owners. The police provides it free of charge. Stimson petted the automobile up

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to the curb and slipped on the hobble. When he returned to the curb the space was vacant. He immediately telephoned the detective bureau. The news spread in the Central Station and created a sensation. The Chief's private automobile was reduced to the ranks and used to transport detectives in search of the car. Jones and Erven spent all Monday night seeking the missing car. It is of well-known make, and is a 1912 model. It is a Marmon car, with a black body and blue sides. Its number is 1587. It also contains five passengers when well loaded and six in a political emergency. Its engine number is 112,167, a mechanical numeral that was purposeful for a police clue.

All these incidents of construction were rushed to the police department by a special commissioner, none less than Marshall Simson. He was irate, also wrathful, not to say peeved and aggrieved. He demanded a thorough search.

Everybody got busy. Capt. Flammery was notified of the catastrophe. The motorcycle patrolmen were loaded and primed. Every automobile that puffed, every machine that did not parade its innocence in large numbers illuminated, was run down Monday night. Over 400 were examined on suspicion of being Stimson's property. At dawn yesterday the motorcycle patrolmen returned limp and wan to tell of their failure. Detectives Jones and Erven reported their distress by telephone. Once on Monday, a thorough examination of the station in a Marmon car. Eight men were dispatched from headquarters to ascertain the facts. Wrong again.

Yesterday morning a weary department issued orders to Detective Ingraham, who had been charged with a mission to continue the desperate hunt. He found the auto. Where is of no moment, Stimson thanked him particularly, which was plenty of reward. There was a sigh of relief and the department settled down to the more prosaic work of catching plain felons.

**LETTERS TO  
"THE TIMES."**  
"Rides for Weary Walkers."  
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 25.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I was pleased to note the article in The Times of the 21st inst. entitled "Give Rides to Weary Walkers," and sincerely hope there may be a few brave and self-scientific unconventional souls among our local autists in this beautiful city to courageously commence to practice this courtesy towards the walking public, making wise distinctions and giving the preference to the old and weak and the poor. This movement, adopted to any considerable extent, would be a good antidote for selfishness. It would divert and take the self-centered man out of himself and he would be the better for the change.

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stockholders of this corporation to be fully in-  
th of the statements contained in this article.

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self. How it now proposes to  
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your skin. No other ointment can  
much to clear the skin of mites,  
Germany, Sweden and Italy. It  
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gery for a period of 25 years, and  
positioned at Hot Springs, Arkansas,  
sultation from 251 Main Street,  
Broadway, Los Angeles.

## GASOLINE FROM INDIES COMING.

The Refining Company Has  
Shipment En Route.

Imported that Imports Will Re-  
live Tense Market.

Electricity Is Steadily Be-  
coming More Popular.

It is announced that the first cargo  
of gasoline to be brought over by the  
Indian Refining Company is on the  
Dutch ship. This announcement  
comes in the wake of the gasoline situ-  
ation in this state. The Indian Refining  
Company is probably in line for a  
big business as a consequence of  
the likelihood of a lowered  
price for the commodity seems to be  
the case for the distant as ever.  
The demand for gasoline as a con-  
sequence of its being steadily used in  
increasing quantities on motor ve-  
hicles, and for pumping plants on  
oil fields, has become very great and  
difficult to supply, because there is  
no paraffine oil in the State.  
The refineries have been working  
at full capacity, and several plants  
have been built for manufacturing  
gasoline from gas. Despite this the  
demand has continued to go up. It is  
said that the Indian Refining Com-  
pany will better conditions and re-  
lieve the tension of the situation.  
The use of its inexpensiveness and  
the fact that electricity still continues to  
be more and more popular for  
the oil fields, and it is said  
that the San Joaquin Light and Pow-  
er Company is signing up agreements  
for the installation of pumping  
plants and oil fields.  
The Indian and Colonia Develop-  
ment Company has installed fifteen  
General Electric pumping  
plants on section 22, 23-23, and has  
been quite successful in using  
them to pump its wells. The fifteen  
plants are of a later type.  
The Dome Oil Company on section  
22-23, has been operating one  
very successfully and has con-  
sumed for two more. A fifth is be-  
ing installed by the "Traders" Oil  
company on section 23, 23-23. Six  
pumping motors are to be operated by  
the Kern Trading and Oil Company  
on section 15, 21-23.  
The Howard Oil Company above  
mentioned has ordered a drilling mo-  
tor and will try it out to determine  
whether it will prove as successful as  
the General Petroleum opera-  
tion in that vicinity.

### Oil Activities.

The Standard Oil Company has con-  
sented with the Boston Petroleum  
company for oil from section 20, 28-

The Monte Cristo Oil Company and  
the Standard Oil Company have dis-  
posed the agreement made on Feb-  
ruary 21, 1910, whereby the Standard  
Company was to operate the Monte Cristo Oil.

A one-inch pipe line is under con-  
struction from No. 1 well to No. 2  
well of the Northern Exploration  
company on section 22, 31-22.  
The No. 4 of the Vista Midway  
Oil Company, on section 25, 31-22, is  
expected to come in a few days hence.  
It is down 2250 feet.

The Frito Oil Company, operating  
on section 19, 25-19, of the Devil's  
Lake district, is down 3150 feet with  
No. 1 in a six and one-fourth  
mile. A hard shell formation  
has been encountered. The shell seems  
to be gradually growing softer. The  
pressure is very strong, and it is  
expected that the bit is within fifty  
feet of pay sand.

On section 21, 31-14, the White Creek  
Oil Company has completed rig No. 2.  
The well will probably be spudded  
this week.  
On section 17, 20-15, the United De-  
velopment Company is also about to  
spud its well No. 2. The cement  
plug drilled out of No. 1, which  
was probably finished before No. 2  
was down.

The Panama Oil Company has en-  
countered a very heavy gas pressure  
well which is being drilled in the  
district. The strength of this  
gas is so great that in the  
drilling of the mud and water  
the rotary drill stem, a back-  
saw valve has been attached to  
the well.

Well No. 2 of the Pacific Crude Oil  
company, operating on section 22,  
is being raised up. No. 1 well  
is being run very quickly, but it is  
expected to beat the record of that well  
in the near future.

Well No. 1 of the Pacific Crude is  
being about 7000 barrels a day.  
In August produced a daily  
barrel. At 45 cents a barrel  
this would amount to nearly \$90,-  
000.

Work has been started on the new  
well of the Midway Premier Oil Com-  
pany on section 5, 32-22. Well No. 2  
of the Midway Premier Oil Com-  
pany, recently brought in a fine well  
on section 25, 21-20, has been spud-  
ded. The well is also erecting  
a 100-barrel storage tank.

The recently organized Dominion  
Oil Company, operating on  
section 9, 24-9, is 600 feet deep with  
No. 1.

Contract has been made by the  
Dominion Oil Company for a 1000-  
barrel tank, which is to be delivered  
on the property-section 12.  
The company has one active  
well on the property on this section.  
It is nearing completion on sec-  
tion 12-22. It is down 2275 feet.  
The gas pressure is so strong that  
the pipe line is being connected  
to the well as this work is complet-  
ed.

Well No. 2 of the Standard  
Oil Company has No. 2 ready to bring  
in a good production is expected.  
The well is being connected  
to the pipe line as this work is complet-  
ed.

The White Creek Oil Company is  
operating a production of 400 barrels  
a day. Well No. 6 near Fellows,  
California, is about a fortnight or so  
from being controlled and  
allowed to go into a pump hole  
in its neighborhood now.  
The White Creek Oil Company has several  
wells in the vicinity, as is the Santa Fe's  
wells.

Personal.  
James Hayes of the Burnham Oil  
company has been visiting his old  
home in California.  
J. R. Bailey, Jr., of the Glinda  
company was in the fields yes-

# Ten Shots at the Booklovers' Bull's Eye

Are better than one, just as ten shots at any target would increase your chances of hitting the bull's eye. The rules allow as many as ten different answers to be made to each picture, yet with an Answer Book you can submit these ten answers to each picture if you wish, and need only ONE copy of each picture!

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8th—Fairbanks Piano	350.00
9th—Scholarship from De Chauvenet Conservatory of Music.	300.00
10th—Scholarship at Huntington Hall.	200.00
11th—Victoria	200.00
12th—Vocal Course at California School of Artistic Whistling.	150.00
13th—One Columbia Grafonola with Table.	150.00
14th—University of Southern California Scholarship, College of Oratory	140.00
15th—Scholarship Page Military Academy.	135.00
16th—Scholarship Page Seminary	125.00
17th—One Columbia Grafonola with Cabinet.	100.00
18th—Jewelry	100.00
19th—Furniture	100.00
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27th—Hollman Business College, Two Scholarships.	55.00
28th—One Eastman Kodak Special.	50.00
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The contest is open to everybody. Only Times employees and members of their families are barred. Daily for 77 days will be published in The Times a picture representing the title of a book, one each day. Beneath this picture will be a coupon to fill in with the name of the book and the author, together with name and address of entrant.

Cut out the picture and coupon, filling in the book title and author's name, writing your name and address neatly and plainly in the place provided.  
No restrictions are placed on the manner in which answers to pictures are secured. Each picture represents the title of one book only. If you are not certain of your solution you may send in one to ten answers to the picture. NO MORE THAN TEN ANSWERS WILL BE ACCEPTED TO A PICTURE. Incorrect answers will not count against contestant if correct answer is also given. And put one answer to each picture and coupon. Extra coupons must be secured and used for extra answers. All answers to each picture must be kept together in compiling your set.

Additional pictures and coupons may be obtained at The Times office, by mail or by person. Answers will not be accepted unless they are properly filled out on the coupons appearing beneath each picture. It is necessary that pictures be sent in with the answers in order that all answers may be uniform.

When you have all 77 answers, fasten them together and bring them or mail them in a neat flat package—not folded or rolled—to The Times office, addressed "BOOKLOVERS' CONTEST EDITOR." Prizes will be awarded contestants sending in the largest number of correct solutions. In the event of two or more persons having the same number of correct solutions, the person using the smallest number of extra coupons in the set of answers will be declared the winner. In event of two or more persons having the same number of correct solutions, and using the same number of coupons, an equal interest in the prizes tied for will be given to each of the tying contestants, or the persons involved in the tie may choose any one of the other lesser prizes.

More than one prize will not be awarded to any one family, but each member of the family may enter the contest and submit a complete set.  
Only one complete set (comprising not more than 10 answers to any one picture) of answers may be submitted by a contestant. Awards will be made strictly according to the merit of each separate list. The names of more than one person must not be written on any one coupon.  
All answers will be considered on their merits. The first set filed will have no preference over the last set filed; provided only that answers must be filed within the time specified after the last picture has appeared.

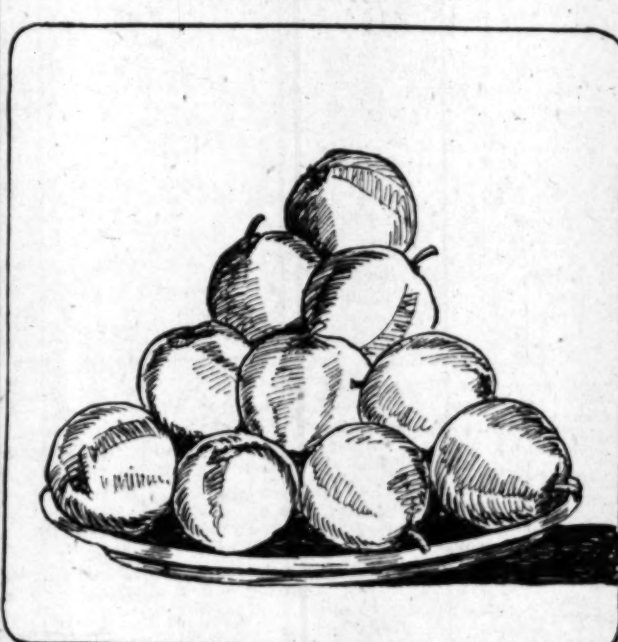
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No. 65 September 25, 1912 No. 65

Wait until you have all the answers to the pictures before sending them in. No partial lists will be considered.

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No. 2

No. 3

No. 4

No. 5

No. 6

No. 7

No. 8

No. 9

No. 10

No. 11

No. 12

My Total Number of Answers to Picture Number 1 is 15

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City or Town, State

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS BLANK SPACE

Number Correct

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# Pen Points: By the Staff

All of the noise is not made by politicians. In politics as in other things it may be said that majorities never bolt.

No, Cinderella, Woodrow Wilson is not the inventor of the sewing machine.

In the local building record Los Angeles is the white hope of the United States.

"Johnson takes a short rest in Indiana" is a head line. Is Lili Artha getting ready for another fight?

The Mexican Congress adjourned after an all-night riot. Here is a chance for the organization of a third party.

Speaking of the rescinding of the local seal-urchin ordinance, it is not wholly for the purpose of using fool that men go into trousers.

Judging from the recent train robberies at have been successfully pulled off, why could there not be an open season for case robberies?

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by Mildred Cecil and Bobby Harrington who have been seen here before in similar capacity, but other company. They have a couple of pleasing songs, which are rendered in a style vastly superior to the average vaudeville vocalism.

Irwin and Herzog, the maddening comedians, sing with their old-time gusto and receive the old-time applause.

Rose and Ellis open the show with a typical circus act, barrel jumping. The man's work is clever and daring, and the lady plays the clown amusingly.

Cats brothers come as near being premier dancers as any couple that ever claimed the title. Master Lew Cats, the midget, is almost faultless in his heel and toe taps, and the team-work of the two is unimpeachable.

Paris Green, who takes his name from the verdancy of his wardrobe, presents a monologue that is decidedly out of the ordinary. His parodies, stories and jokes are appreciated by the discriminating among his audience.

Henry Hargrave and company have a sketch that deceives the audience and sustains the deception until the final sentence of the act. "Chums" is a story with decided heart interest — one that almost brings the audience up standing.

A musical novelty, with unusually splendid scenic equipment closes the show, which is one of the best ever offered at Pantages.

The cabaret bill at Brink's Cafe this week, which opened at the dinner hour last night, is without doubt one of the best, if not the best, that has been seen there since Manager John Brink inaugurated the unique cabaret idea. The programme is varied, well balanced and endowed with a wealth of talent.

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Of Chicago, who returned recently to her eastern home after an enjoyable visit at the Alexandria.

**THEODORE V. NICOLAI**, formerly of this city, and now a resident of Portland, recently entertained 400 friends at her beautiful home on Holladay avenue with a reception in compliment to Mrs. Herbert Bishop, Mrs. Walter G. Chanslor and Mrs. Albert Cheney, all of Los Angeles. Mrs. Chanslor, with Mr. Chanslor, is making her temporary home in the northern city, while Mrs. Cheney and Mrs. Bishop were fortnight visitors. The hostess and guests of honor with Mrs. Frank Johnson received in the drawing-room, which was banked with palms and bamboo, white yellow flowers were used in profusion.

Mrs. Nicolai greeted her callers wearing a robe of black and gold lace, and about her neck was a collar of pearls and diamonds. Mrs. Bishop wore white satin over which was draped black and royal blue marquisette interwoven with cut steel. Clusters of pink and blue velvet French flowers and jewels completed the toilet. Mrs. Chanslor wore a gown of white net, where gold and real lace formed the foundation, with a sweeping oversleeve in her collar. Her ornaments were pearls. Mrs. Bishop wore a gown of pink and blue velvet, with a gown of salmon pink charmeuse, with white lace and a diamond necklace. Mrs. Chanslor wore a gown of pink and blue velvet, with a gown of salmon pink charmeuse, with white lace and a diamond necklace.

**For Miss Borden.** Miss Juliet Borden, who is claiming much attention now from her many friends, was the honored guest yesterday at a theater party given at the Orpheum, followed by tea at the Alexandria. American Beauty and violet, the colors chosen by Miss Borden for her wedding to Lieut. Irving Mayfield, were used in decorating. A centerpiece of American Beauty roses graced the table and corsage bouquets of violets marked covers for the bridal party, including Miss Katherine Stearns, Miss Virginia Walsh, Miss Elizabeth Wood, Miss Florence Wood, Miss Katherine Johnson and Mrs. Harry James Borden.

**Pleasant Evening.** A theater party at the Mason followed by supper at the Alexandria was presided over Monday evening by Capt. and Mrs. Randolph Huntington. Miner, Pink and lavender gladioli decked the table, where covers were arranged for Col. and Mrs. C. H. McKinstry, Mrs. Michael J. Connell, Louis Vetter and Dr. and Mrs. Granville MacGowan.

**Kitchen Shower.** Miss Pauline Lund, who will become the bride of Merrill Russell this evening, was the honoree at a five hundred party and kitchen shower given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Ruth Reid of Alhambra. Shasta daisies were used in the rooms given over to the affair, and following the games prizes were awarded to Miss Alva Stacey and Mrs. Herman Heilmann. The guests were then invited to the dining-room, where refreshments were served and the kitchen shower presented. In the center of the table was a low bowl of pink roses, and hanging from the electric overhead was a watering can from which pink ribbons extended to the gifts on the table, all of blue paragon kitchenware.

Included were Miss Evelynman Dayman, Miss Ella Winstanley, Miss Bertha Lull, Miss Florence Wickersham, Miss Clara Whetstone, Mrs. Joseph Copp, Miss Alva Stacey, Mrs. Herman Heilmann, Mrs. Edwin Hutchins, Miss Francis Hall, Miss Edna Bovard, Miss Ruby Edgcomb, Miss Helen Childs, Miss Ruth Flaherty, Mrs. George Reid, Miss Frances Reid, Miss Mary McDonald, Mrs. George Rice, Miss Irene Powell, Miss Elizabeth Maynard, Miss Helene Phelps, Miss Marion Chaddock, Gertrude Chaddock, Mrs. George Lund, Mrs. Walter Stamps, Miss Elmore Richards, and Miss Mae Richards.

**Campbell-Francis Wedding.** Announcement is made of the wedding of Miss Mary C. Campbell of

this city and Walter E. Francis of Whittier, which was solemnized September 19 at the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Los Angeles. Rev. Dr. Charles Edward Locke read the service. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Campbell of No. 425 West Fifty-fifth street, and the groom is the son of F. E. Francis, former Mayor of Whittier. Upon the conclusion of a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Francis will occupy their ranch at Whittier.

**From Butte.** Miss Charlotte Lelphelmer of Butte, Mont., in passing several months with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smith of Hotel Astoria.

**World's Tour.** Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wetherby, Miss Gladys Wetherby and Oscar Wetherby returned Monday from a twelve months' tour of the world. They visited among other places Japan, Korea, Manchuria, China, the Philippines, Burma, Ceylon, Egypt and India, where they were present at the Durbar in Delhi.

**Returns From East.** Mrs. John B. Cook has returned from her eastern trip and is at home to friends at No. 1809 Cliff Twenty-second street.

**Traveler Returns.** Mrs. Lucetta Pyne has just returned from a three months' eastern trip, where she enjoyed visiting her friends. Her son, C. W. Pyne, who accompanied her, returned several weeks ago.

**Invitations Out.** Cards have been issued by Mrs. Bumiller-Hickey and her daughters, Mrs. Paul Burks and Miss Bumiller, for a tea to be given at their home October 4. Another affair will be presided over by these same hostesses on October 12.

**Mrs. Riddle Home.** Mrs. William E. Riddle, much to the delight of her many friends, has returned from a visit of four months to Britain Columbia and for the winter will reside at Hotel Virginia, Long Beach. Mrs. Riddle is the president of both the California Cliff Dwellers Association and the United States Daughters of the War of 1812.

**Sorority Party.** Members of the Beta Phi Sorority of the University of Southern California entertained with a boating party at Westlake Park one afternoon recently, and in the evening members and their friends were guests at the home of Miss Flora Cronmiller of No. 226 South Alvarado street. The hostesses of the afternoon were: Miss Grace Hockett, Miss Martha Dressler, Miss Ethel Harris, Miss Clara Horney, Miss Julia McCormick, Miss Refena Chambers, Miss Josephine Chambers, Miss Dorothy Betts, Miss Mildred Taft, Miss Sarah Taft, Miss Mabel Nevell, Miss Florence Macloskey, Miss Ruth Hill and Miss Eleanor Fulton.

**Five Hundred Club.** Mrs. G. Guy Whitaker recently had as guests members of the Averil Five Hundred Club, whom she entertained at her home on Fifth avenue. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Jack Rodman and Miss Adele Tower. Those present were: Mrs. Carroll Holmes, Mrs. F. M. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Allison Jones, Mrs. Jack Rodman, Mrs. Bertha Baez, Mrs. H. J. Miller, Mrs. A. J. Richardson, Miss E. E. Spence, Miss Adel Tower, Miss Edith Brown, Miss Hobbit, Mrs. Roy Mattice and Mrs. Whitaker.

**FIRE OF LANCASTER.** LANCASTER, Sept. 24.—A fire broke out in a little restaurant adjoining Cram's general merchandise store yesterday and before the fire was extinguished \$10,000 worth of property had been destroyed. Bucket brigades were called and the vigorous fight made by citizens was all that saved the little city from being wiped out entirely. Cram was the heaviest loser, his store and residence being entirely destroyed. The saloon known as "The Popular Corner" was burned as was the restaurant where the fire originated. A movement is on foot to prevent the opening of the saloon on the same site.

C. H. Baker has gone East to visit the shoe centers, and upon his return will bring Mrs. Baker and the two children, who have spent the summer in Boston.

## DENIES GIVING AID TO REBELS.

Venerable General Seeks to Have Name Cleared.

Relates Money and Property Were Confiscated.

Tale of American Adventure Over the Border.

The Senate Committee investigation into the international relationship between Americans on this side of the border and Mexican rebels on the other was continued yesterday afternoon at the Alexandria Hotel by Senators Smith and Fall.

The committee has visited the venerable Gen. Luis Terrazas the richest and most influential Mexican in the United States, at his home in Long Beach, but on account of his infirmities he could not testify.

Yesterday Gen. Terrazas submitted the following interesting document, in which he disclaims implication in any sort in the present or any other revolution:

"LONG BEACH (Cal.) Sept. 21, 1912.—To the Honorable Committee of the United States Senate conducting the present investigation into the Mexican revolution:

"Gentlemen: I have noticed a press dispatch from El Paso, Tex., under date of September 7, 1912, in which it is reported that Messrs. E. C. Houghton and George Look made certain assertions before your honorable committee, apparently implicating me in the present revolution. According to the article referred to Messrs. E. C. Houghton and George Look, and other ranchmen living in Mexico, declared that I, Mr. Croel and others, have assisted in financing the revolution led by Pascual Orozco. These statements are wholly and totally unfounded in fact and in spirit. I am unacquainted with Pascual Orozco, have never conversed with him, neither have I had any correspondence or negotiations with him, either personally or through any other person. I have never during all my life participated in any revolution in Mexico now pending or in the past having existed. I have taken no part whatever in the revolution led by Pascual Orozco, and neither was I identified with or instrumental in the one led by Francisco I. Madero, either directly or indirectly. My principle has always been to respect the legitimate and organized government.

"The statements to which I have referred place me in an unflattering and necessarily have a tendency to mislead this honorable committee, and in justice to myself, and for the accurate information of this honorable committee, I respectfully request that this honorable committee, with all the formalities provided by law, inquire of Messrs. Houghton and Look, under their oath, what proofs they have of their assertions, and that they be required to establish the same by evidence clear and convincing, to the end that my name and reputation may not be unjustly assailed, and this honorable committee may not labor under a misconception of fact. In this respect I would respectfully request that the following inquiries or questions be propounded to Messrs. Houghton and Look:

"(1.) Have they any personal knowledge of my having taken any part in the revolution led by Pascual Orozco, or in the one led by Francisco I. Madero? If they have any such knowledge they should relate the same in detail and corroborate it sufficiently to satisfy this honorable committee.

"(2.) Do they know that the rebels in 1910 for the purpose of raising money and also my wages and ranches, and also my wagons and harness, saddles and grain that I stored in the warehouses; that they also took my articles of merchandise intended as provisions for the employees, and this honorable committee may not labor under a misconception of fact. In this respect I would respectfully request that the following inquiries or questions be propounded to Messrs. Houghton and Look:

"(3.) Do they not know that my own life and the life of my employees would have been in danger if we had tried to defend our rights and property?

"(4.) Do they not know that the damage done me by the revolution of 1910 was of great magnitude?

"(5.) The preceding inquiries should be propounded in reference to the revolution of 1911.

"(6.) Do they not know that my ranching over to Pasadena and eastward has been discontinued because the cattle have disappeared on account of the rebels and grain that I stored in the warehouses; that they also took my articles of merchandise intended as provisions for the employees, and this honorable committee may not labor under a misconception of fact. In this respect I would respectfully request that the following inquiries or questions be propounded to Messrs. Houghton and Look:

"(7.) Do they not know that my son Luis was in an arbitrary manner, thrown into prison at Chihuahua by the rebels and was afterwards taken under custody to Bachimba, where Pascual Orozco, leader of the rebels was located.

"(8.) Do they not know that all classes of the people in Chihuahua and also the consular body residing in said city protested against the unauthorized and arbitrary act and it was commented upon very severely by the best classes of society?

"(9.) Do they not know that the rebels exacted \$50,000 for the liberty of my son Luis, and that this amount was provided by the merchants of the city including several foreign establishments, because I had not the ready money and was absent, and because they considered the life of my son in danger? And do they not also know that the rebels exacted \$50,000 from the manager of my house in Chihuahua, in like manner as they did other amounts from the merchants of the National Bank of Mexico, including also the mercantile houses, among them being foreigners who were called upon to give amounts of more or less importance in exchange for bonds, etc., and that the sums were taken by force and were not given voluntarily?

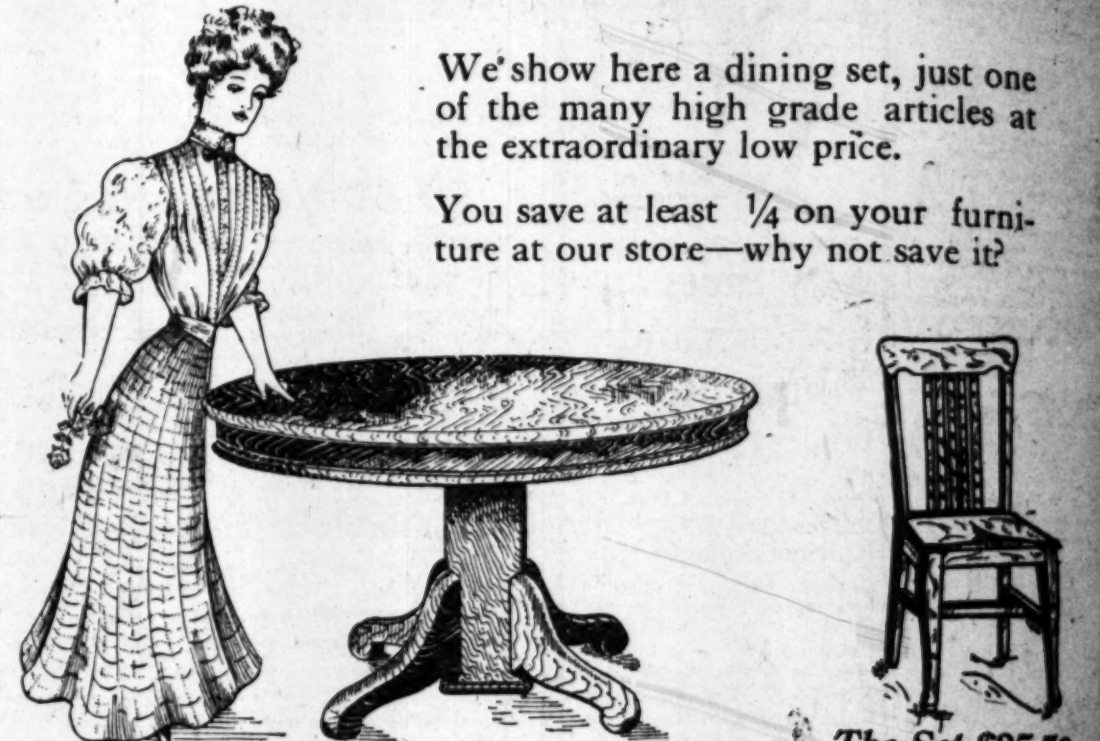
"A short time since I have been asked my opinion in regard to the policy of intervention by the United States in the present conflict in Mexico. On this subject I beg to say that I desire no intervention of any kind nor under any circumstances of any foreign country.

"I trust that I have made my position clear and that you will, in justice to me, pursue this inquiry along the lines I have herein indicated.

"Respectfully,  
[Signed] "LUIS TERRAZAS, SR."  
AMERICAN ADVENTURE.  
A development of the day was the completion of the story of adventure yesterday unfolded to the committee by the tale of two Americans, Cunningham and Curtis, figures in the chief roles.

The men were at the San Ger-

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## WATER SURPLUS PLAN MAY GO TO THE VOTERS.

A special session this afternoon of the City Council will decide whether or not, in fulfillment of a pre-election pledge, it shall submit to the voters of Los Angeles city the November election a plan for the distribution and sale of the aqueduct surplus water, which will cost the city \$8,400,000 and will bring in an estimated revenue of \$2,500,000 a year.

After months of discussion and study, the Board of Public Service Commissioners has evolved a plan for the sale and distribution of the surplus water which contemplates the building of six distributing conduits which will carry it to a large part of the city, and this is the plan that may be submitted to the electors.

The first of the conduits will start from the San Fernando reservoir at the lower end of the aqueduct proper, pass through Franklin Canyon in the Santa Monica Mountains and reach the Hollywood district with a capacity of 750 miners' inches. Of this, the city will take 100,000, leaving 650 miners' inches to be distributed to the Redondo, Calhoun and Inglewood districts. This conduit will cost \$1,500,000.

The second conduit will branch off from the first at a point about halfway between the San Fernando Valley and the San Gabriel, running east to Glendale and Eagle Rock, carrying about 1650 miners' inches. It will cost about \$1,600,000.

By far the most important conduit from a revenue-producing standpoint, according to the commissioners, will be the third, which will start from the aqueduct proper above the San Gabriel and follow the high contour of the Sierra Madre range to Pasadena, averaging east through Alhambra, San Gabriel, Duarte, Covina, Glendale and as far east ultimately as San Dimas. This conduit will feed the rich citrus belt and is expected to produce double the revenue derived from all the other lines. It will start with a capacity of 9000 miners' inches and deliver about 4000 to the Glendale region. It will also be the most expensive conduit, costing about \$2,500,000.

A fourth conduit is to run from the San Fernando reservoir westerly through the rich high plateau on the southern edge of the San Gabriel Mountains, flanking the northern side of the San Fernando Valley. It will have a capacity of 750 miners' inches and will carry the city use. It is calculated that it will take at least two years to build the system. If the plan fails to win approval, the Public Service Commissioners will have to devise another one.

## Webb-Fisher Co. Chesterfield Clothes \$20 and \$25 for Men and Young Men

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The interesting letters received from Miss Gray (I will give the name as it is not confidential, but it is a charmingly girlish smile) is as follows: All The Time Beauty Hint: The most important accessory as for the face is a charmingly girlish smile. All The Time Beauty Hint: The most important accessory as for the face is a charmingly girlish smile.

of the large Broadway store maintains an extensive house department has a new department of Delft ware in many of the articles for the holiday trade. It is now showing the fruit of the summer tour of its buyers. Christmas gifts have commenced to visit this department to secure the first choice of the season. It is now showing the fruit of the summer tour of its buyers. Christmas gifts have commenced to visit this department to secure the first choice of the season. It is now showing the fruit of the summer tour of its buyers. Christmas gifts have commenced to visit this department to secure the first choice of the season.



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## FACTS. FEATURES FANCIES FOR WOMEN MEN OLIVE GRAY



BEAUTY HINT: The dainty woman cares nearly as much  
as the accessories as for fine toilet preparations, since she is  
surrounded by those personal surroundings. A new ware from  
made sets comprising puff boxes, comb, brush and man-  
and many other needed articles for the toilet table, is in the  
popular color, royal purple. The ware is somewhat like Parisian  
more transparent.

Interesting letters re-  
to me which I will give  
not confidentially. It  
a charmingly girlish  
follows:

Gray: All the Times  
that you are a girl  
for do not you put  
with countless new and  
and ideas? We ap-  
plore if you will tell  
the sweetest news ever. (I am  
scarcely write.)

I have sometimes wondered of late,  
why there was not a revival of metal-  
lic tones for shoes. Like the "copper toes,"  
which used to be worn by chil-  
dren long ago. Such shoes could  
be made from metals of various  
kinds, and set with brilliant stones,  
while they might not especially serve  
the purpose for which "copper toes"  
were intended, that of preventing the  
tips of the shoes from wearing out,  
they would serve the purpose of orna-  
mentation, which seems to be a most  
important one nowadays.

Velvets de Luxe.  
Some of the handsomest velvets  
and plushes seen this season have just  
arrived at one of the big Broadway  
stores. Soft and thick as a bed of  
woodland moss, these exquisite fabrics  
have the shadings of autumn and are  
in every popular shade, including the  
ancient velvet with a contrasting under-  
tone, which gives the two-toned ef-  
fect now so desirable.

Fashion's Soft Notes.  
Wool and embroidery is being used  
on children's hats and dresses.

Pleated lace revers and cuffs appear  
on some of the prettiest waists.  
Large silk roses are used on the  
backs and fronts of the new girdles.  
Mole fur will be favorite for day  
wear this winter; ermine for evening.  
Among the new neckwear, sailor  
collars are seen, both large and small.  
Some of the new white hats have  
big black velvet bows perched on their  
brims.  
The two-piece tunic overblouses  
continue to show apron and postilion  
effects.  
A bright, strong plum color is one  
of the favorite shades for the coming  
season.

THE ACID TEST.  
BY NERTA MARQUE.

"The holy passion of friendship is  
of so sweet and steady and loyal and  
enduring a nature that it will last  
through a whole lifetime, if not asked  
to lend money."—Samuel Clemens.  
Maitreine has said that friendship  
is the highest degree of perfection  
in society. There is friendship which  
stands the money test. When one  
finds a practical demonstration of  
this, it is not merely an individual, but  
an institution, he may well feel that  
the society in that portion of the world  
is approaching a high level.  
The Associated Charities is such  
an institution. It has loaned abso-  
lutely without interest or restriction,  
\$174 this year to small sums. Of  
this, \$197 has already been returned.  
What a boon these little helps mean.  
Temporarily jiding, or borrowing  
over the rocks of disaster, can  
scarcely be estimated by him who has  
never felt the misery of the thin and  
empty purse.  
Los Angeles is flooded with people  
who come here with what they think  
is sufficient means to keep them un-  
der the sun. They find themselves  
stranded before they know it. Well-  
dressed and apparently prosperous,  
yet without funds, or friends of long  
enough standing to be asked for a  
loan, they are often driven to the  
Associated Charities, while waiting  
for work or for that other beautiful  
thing, "money from home."  
When I see a person of high-bred,  
sensitive face and rather well-  
tailored appearance waiting in the  
association's reception room—which  
merely a railed-off section of the  
front office—I particularly refrain  
from looking at him except out of the  
tail of my eye. I always feel that  
such a person is suffering enough  
from being where he is, without hav-  
ing to endure the apparently specu-  
lative scrutiny of an outsider. He is  
far more sensitive than are the  
chronic poor.  
Such was the young man I noticed  
one day as I passed through. He had  
to wait twenty minutes or so before  
he could see the secretary, and I  
imagined the waiting was as one of  
the tortures of the Inquisition to him.  
The stenographer, who received him  
in the first place, came in and  
said he wanted to borrow \$2 to meet  
his needs until pay day the follow-  
ing week, and what should she do  
about it? He was working for \$2 a  
day, but had had the position only  
a few days.  
The secretary demurred. Money  
was very short, and the young man  
was apparently a gentleman, and  
seemed strange he should be reduced  
to such extremities when working  
for \$2 a day. He said he would see  
him himself, and the young fellow  
was ushered in.

If he hadn't been a man, I would  
have said he had been crying. He  
looked as if he had had a bitter  
struggle with himself before getting  
nerved up to coming to the Asso-  
ciated Charities. He was such an  
appealing man, a gentlemanly and  
well-set-up, as you and I meet every  
day in business and social connec-  
tions.  
He entered the secretary's office,  
however, with his head erect, and a  
little half-jocular air with which he  
strove to conceal his humiliation of  
spite.

"I suppose the young lady has told  
you what I am here for," he said to  
the secretary, in a voice which tried  
to be cheerful and cheery.  
"She said you wanted to get a cou-  
ple of dollars, I believe," said the

secretary, in his non-committal, of-  
ficial manner. One has to be non-  
committal until he can form an es-  
timate of his subject.  
"Yes, I want to borrow a couple of  
dollars until next week. If I can  
when a little money will be coming  
to me where I am employed—voice  
and manner strove to make it a purely  
business-like transaction. But an-  
guish lurked under the surface.  
If I were the most broken importor  
in three States, I would hesitate to  
face the secretary of the Associated  
Charities. He has the warmest heart  
in the world, but it would take a  
clear conscience to look him straight  
in the eye and answer his direct ques-  
tions without giving one's self away.  
Real man hates to tell his trou-  
bles before a woman, unless she is  
gray-haired and motherly. Neither  
the stenographer nor I am a really  
matronly in appearance. But I did  
my best to appear absorbed in some-  
thing else, although intensely con-  
cerned with what was going on.

The young man told his story in  
answer to the questions put to him.  
He told it in a straightforward, man-  
teous way, although it was plainly  
wormwood and gall to him. His  
ocular air had quite faded.  
It was the old tale of being a new-  
comer here, of long illness and re-  
cent employment in a new position,  
of pay day too far off to meet press-  
ing needs, of a firm unwilling to ad-  
vance salary. The narrator said de-  
sperately in conclusion:  
"I've already borrowed a little from  
two fellows at the office. I'm simply  
up against it, and I've nothing to  
pay. That's my only reason for be-  
ing here. And of course I don't want  
it known that I came."

After a tense pause the secretary  
turned without comment to his tele-  
phone and called up one of the busi-  
ness managers of the big corporation  
for which the young man was now  
working. He laid the whole situation  
before him, withholding only the  
young man's name. What was sub-  
ject of the conversation turned to a  
tragic face and eyes full of misery  
away from the stenographer and me,  
and ceaselessly twirled a neat, im-  
penetrable straw hat in slender nervous  
hands.

I think the outcome was a beautiful  
surprise to all of us except the sec-  
retary. When at last he hung up  
the telephone with satisfied decision  
he smiled at the young man waiting  
tensely for the verdict, and said:  
"He says for you to come to him.  
He will advance what money you  
need, and he promises not to hold it  
up against you."

I simply gasped with relief, while  
the young man sprang to his feet, al-  
most as if he were a bird. He was  
grateful for the relief, and the joy  
of deliverance rang in his voice  
as he thanked the secretary. That  
fixes me all right. We're all hun-  
dred now, aren't we?"

He was fairly jubilant over it, for  
he had been spared the misery of  
taking "charity money" after all. In-  
stead of avoiding the stenographer's  
eyes and mine now, he smiled at me  
and could have embraced us all, as shar-  
ers in his deliverance. And I think  
we were almost as happy as he.  
Let me show you how scientific the  
adjustment really was. If the young  
man was honest in his claims, he  
would go at once to the manager, the  
only man aside from the secretary  
who knew his name or his errand,  
and get his money, and go on his  
way rejoicing.  
If he was not honest, he would  
neither go to his employer nor re-  
turn to the Associated Charities for  
aid. And he was not in the least ex-  
posed in either case. And the adjust-  
ing medium, the association, was not  
out a cent.

That is what it means to have an  
intelligent, businesslike Associated  
Charities in which the businesslike  
of the city can place genuine confi-  
dence. The burning shame is that  
they don't appreciate it enough to  
support it as it deserves.

"By the Best of Men."  
DECIMAL ERROR  
FOOTS UP BIG.

PASADENA'S TAX BILLS SLICED  
AT EXTRA EXPENSE.

Haste Required to Prepare Figures  
in Time for Mailing Is Blamed for  
Mistake Made Year in Computing  
School Rate—Auditor Knows  
to Accommodate Tax Collector.

An error in the County Auditor's of-  
fice in the computation of the Pasade-  
na city school tax rate, cost the  
county over \$200 for special clerk hire  
during the last few days, according  
to Tax Collector Welch's statement  
last night.

The correct rate is \$1.02 on the  
\$100. The misplacing of a decimal  
point, with the consequent setting  
off of four places instead of five,  
brought the rate set to Welch up  
to \$1.27. Welch's men at once made  
out more than 10,000 tax bills, all  
of which are incorrect, extending  
through four volumes.

The mistake was discovered in the  
auditor's office Friday, and word was  
sent at once to the Tax Collector.  
Welch immediately put on a force of  
extra men at \$4 a day each, to cor-  
rect the figures and substitute correct  
ones. He says the new bills will be  
ready today.

About 25,000 pieces of property  
were listed on the bills made out  
for the wrong amounts. To have  
made new bills would have been im-  
possible without an expenditure far  
greater than the amount the county  
will now lose.  
"There isn't anything remarkable in  
the fact that a slight slip may be  
made now and then in even the most  
accurate figuring," said Auditor Lewis  
last night. "There are 177 school dis-  
tricts in the county and in each we  
must compute four or five different  
tax rates. The work is necessarily  
done under high pressure because of  
the short time between the fixing of  
the rate by the Supervisors on the  
third Monday in September and the  
collection date for taxes the second  
Monday in October.

"As an accommodation in helping  
the Tax Collector get out his bills  
in time, we hurry as much as is con-  
sistent with accuracy, and get the ex-  
tensions against valuations to him as  
quickly as we can. I know of the  
error, of course, but I didn't know  
it was costing the county so much  
money. I don't know who made the  
mistake; perhaps I did myself. We  
have had several men at work on  
these figures."

There are only three weeks after  
the rate is fixed, for the assessors  
make all extension against valuations  
and the Tax Collector to enter those  
items on the tax bills," said Collec-  
tor Welch. "We both have to hurry,  
very fast. Since it is a physical im-  
possibility for the Auditor's office to  
finish his large volume of work so  
that the collector will have sufficient  
time to prepare the bills before taxes  
are due, it is customary for the col-

lector to compute the taxes on tax  
bills for properties in cities at the  
same the Auditor is making his com-  
putations on the assessment roll. The  
Auditor may, under the law, keep  
the books from me until a week be-  
fore the bills are due; but it has  
been customary, as a matter of ac-  
commodation, to get them to the Tax  
Collector as soon as possible. I should  
lay the error to necessary haste, not  
to anything wrong with the system."

DETECTIVES NEVER SLEEP.

That Is, Not After the First, When  
the Central Station Bureau Will Be  
Open All Night.

The first step toward the reorgan-  
ization and enlargement of the de-  
tective bureau at the Central Station  
has been taken by the Chief in the  
selection of C. B. Walker and C. F.  
Howard to be stenographers and tele-  
phone operator, respectively. All re-  
ports will be taken in shorthand and  
then transcribed for use of the de-  
tectives and other Central Station  
officers.

After October 1 the Chief expects  
to keep the detective bureau open  
continuously. At present it is closed  
at 11 o'clock at night and reopened  
at 7 o'clock in the morning. Be-  
tween those hours, however, two de-  
tective squads on the top floor are  
on duty to call. Minor infractions of  
the law are taken care of by patrolmen  
or plainclothesmen out of Capt. Mur-  
phy's force.

Under the new arrangement all re-  
ports of a serious nature will be  
handled exclusively through the ex-  
amination of applicants for positions.  
The Chief will then know which of  
the men are eligible to continue in the  
department. Then he will select  
men for the night watch, which will  
be known as the "flying squad."

The detectives and other members  
of the force come here to pass their  
medical, physical and written  
examinations. They are now await-  
ing the places on the commission  
relative to the oral examination.

Get There.  
RULING A HALF  
CENTURY OLD.

"LONG CHANCE" CAPTURES PALO  
VERDE HOMESTEADS.

Men Who File Simultaneously on  
the Claims Have Rights Deter-  
mined by Land Office—Two  
Brothers Not Afraid to Go Ahead  
Are Winners.

A ruling of the Interior Depart-  
ment dating back nearly a half  
century, was invoked yesterday by  
the Register Bureau and Receiver Robin-  
son, in the settlement of the first con-  
test involving lands in the Palo Verde  
Valley. The evidence showed that  
the public domain April 18, 1910,  
and the contests now in process of  
determination are those involving the  
rights of settlers under that order.

A question of affairs was  
shown in the contest of George T.  
Todd against Mathew T. Biersdorf,  
both claiming a quarter section of  
land in the most fertile part of the  
valley. The evidence showed that  
both Todd and Biersdorf made  
simultaneous settlement on the land,  
one minute after midnight, the night  
of April 18, 1910. It was asserted  
that Todd had settled prematurely  
on the land, but this was not es-  
tablished. Both men proceeded to  
improve the property, Todd by build-  
ing a house, clearing forty-two acres  
of the land and digging several wells.  
Biersdorf contented himself with  
putting up a tent and dwelling  
therein.

A rule of the Interior Department  
provides, three ways of determining  
these cases. When neither party has  
made any improvements, it will be  
sold to the highest bidder; where one  
party has made actual settlement on  
the land, and the other has not, the  
land goes to the first named; in cases  
where both allege settlement and im-  
provements, an investigation must be  
had, and the land awarded to him  
who shows prior actual settlement  
and improvements.

Yesterday's application of the  
third rule to the case, gave the land  
to Todd, for while neither party had  
settled on the land, Todd had been  
simultaneous, the testimony showed  
that in building a house, cultivating  
the land, clearing forty-two acres of  
the land and digging several wells.  
Biersdorf, in the case of Lemuel  
Todd, a brother of George, against  
Clifton H. Kelley involving the same  
question, the adjoining quarter sec-  
tion was awarded to Todd. It ap-  
peared that here, too, simultaneous  
settlement and entry was established,  
but Todd had done the most work in  
improving the land.

BURNED BY EXPLOSION.

C. D. Collins of No. 1950 Barnard  
park avenue attempted to fill an over-  
heated painter's torch with gasoline  
yesterday morning and it exploded,  
throwing him backwards about ten feet  
and burned him so severely that he  
will be incapacitated for work for  
several weeks. Collins is 32 years old,  
and is employed as a repairman for

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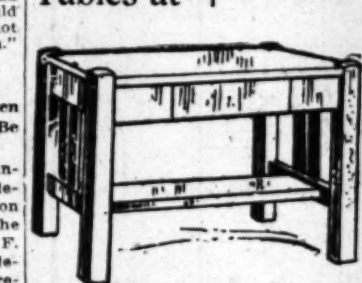
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removed to the California Hospital  
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THIEF NOT A CHOOSER.

Takes Anything of Value That's  
Handy, and Skips—Expressman  
Mailed Away With a Trunk.  
A child's bracelet, a silver thimble  
and a miner's magnifying glass were  
stolen from J. C. Weber's room, No.  
620 South Figueroa street, Monday  
night, according to a report he made  
yesterday to Central Station detec-  
tives.

Celia Smith, a Natick Hotel guest,  
is searching for an expressman who  
has failed, she says, to deliver a trunk  
to her. She gave him the check at  
First and Main streets but took no re-  
ceipt.

Mrs. A. R. Thompson of Inglewood  
left her purse containing \$25 on a  
counter while shopping. That's the  
last she saw of it.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

### AN EXTENSION IS GRANTED.

**Pasadena Council Displays Patience in the Matter.**

**Officials Hesitate to Handle Park Speaking Problem.**

**Methodists Are Enjoying a Season of Expansion.**

**Office of the Times, 52 S. Fair Oaks Ave.**

PASADENA, Sept. 25.—The City Council yesterday granted the telephone companies a thirty days' extension of time in which to effect the arrangement under which the joint service of the Pacific and Home companies is to be carried on until a permanent mechanical consolidation shall have been brought about. The dual service was to have been ready and in operation by October 1, November 1 is now the date.

John Holmes, manager of the Home company, and Charles F. Mason, district superintendent of the Sunset company, appeared before the Council yesterday and declared that it will be impossible to have things ready by the first of next month.

"We find," said Mason, "that it would be useless for us to say anything sooner than November 1, and we would like to make a formal application for a month's extension."

The question of the use or non-use of the city parks for political and religious meetings, which the Council last Tuesday postponed consideration of for a week, was discussed at yesterday's session, but the opinion of most of the Councilmen was that the City Commission should have full way in the matter. The result was that all petitions and communications that have been addressed to the Council were referred to the commission.

The Council authorized Mayor Thorn to have a map of the street railway tracks and other improvements in the city prepared. It will be used by the Street Commission.

The Southern Pacific Railroad yesterday applied to the Council for a franchise to construct, operate and maintain five railroad tracks on Broadway, between Bellevue drive and Colorado street. The company desires to construct additional spur tracks along its right of way.

**WHITES WIN IN POLO MATCH.**

Yesterday's practice polo match of the Pasadena Polo Club at Tournament Park was one of the fastest that has been played this season. The Whites won with a score of 4 to 3. Harry Wells, Dr. V. A. Eicher, Dr. E. T. Malaby and Leigh Gyer made up the White team. Carlton Burke, Reggie Weiss, Robert Neudt and Teddy Miller were the Reds.

The new horses, which were used for the first time two weeks ago, were made very satisfactory and yesterday some of the best plays were made on these ponies.

**NEW CHURCH TALKED OF.**

If plans that have been made are successfully carried out a new Methodist church will soon be built in Pasadena. It is to go up in the vicinity of Washington street and Lake avenue. A committee consisting of two members of each of the Pasadena Methodist churches has been appointed to procure a site.

No plans have yet been drawn for the building, but it is probable that a handsome edifice will be reared, as there are many Methodists in this part of the city.

**MEETINGS TO START.**

The Pasadena Civic League, which abandoned its work for the summer, will soon hold its first fall meeting, and "Universal Peace" will be one of the topics to come up for discussion.

Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, president of the league, who is now abroad, is not expected to arrive home in time for this first meeting.

**PREPARING FOR CAMPAIGN.**

Under the direction of Miss Anna Jenkins, chairman of the kindergarten department of the State organization, Pasadena members of the Congress of Mothers will soon take up the question of what shall be done toward the end of securing legislation this coming winter. They will make the kindergarten a compulsory part of the public school education.

There is a question as to what way the members should go about the matter, whether a new bill should be introduced or an effort made to secure the law they desire by the passage of an amendment. This will be discussed at a meeting soon to be held.

**WORK IS BEGUN.**

Contractor E. D. Tyler yesterday began work on the new building of the Pasadena National Bank, corner of East Colorado street and Broadway. Over \$2500 is to be expended on the foundation alone. This building, when completed, will be one of the handsomest, if not the handsomest, business block in the city. The ground has been entirely cleared and the work will be carried on as fast as possible.

**CITY BRIEFS.**

Dr. Henry Sherry of No. 221 Fremont avenue, yesterday received notice of his election as one of the vice-presidents of the Woodrow Wilson College Club of California.

Today and tomorrow have been set aside by the Pasadena Merchants' Association for the fall fashion show. Store windows have been handsomely decorated, and indications are that the downtown streets will be crowded both afternoon and evening.

City Attorney Carr yesterday declared that he will accept the candidacy as successor to State Senator Charles W. Bell. He stated that he will get out nominating papers at once.

Under the auspices of the Pastors' Union an all-day prayer meeting was held at the First Methodist Church yesterday.

Miss Jean Loomis of this city expects to leave in two weeks for China, where she will become a Methodist missionary teacher.

Although Pasadena is entitled to five delegates at the Twentieth National Irrigation Congress, to open at Salt Lake City on the 30th inst., but one resident of the city, F. R. Schanck, has thus far signified his

intention to attend. The Board of Trade requests that any others who propose going to the meeting communicate with it, so that they may be appointed official delegates to represent the city.

Classes at the Throop Polytechnic Institute opened yesterday for the first semester.

Wadsworth sells paints.

For Pasadena home, Grable & Austin.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena, Hotel Maryland and Maryland grill open all summer.

Ranches, acreage, homesites, H. L. Hayman, La Canada.

**WILL DISCUSS ADVERTISING.**

**Cities of Inter-city Commission Will Debate Plans for Advancing the World of their Excellencies.**

**SOUTH PASADENA, Sept. 24.**

There will be no further meeting of the Executive Committee of the San Gabriel Valley Inter-city Commission until after the opening meeting at Whittier, which is scheduled for Friday, September 27. Supper will be served by the ladies of Whittier in the Friends Church, which time an executive session will be held, followed by an open meeting in the Council chambers, to which the entire population of Whittier has been invited, and delegations of women from the various towns of the organization will also be present.

At this meeting the subject of community advertising will be the feature. It is proposed to have the seventeen cities in the commission join in a plan to bring before the public through a widespread advertising campaign, the advantages of the San Gabriel Valley for homes, ranches and investment. This plan yet incomplete includes holding lectures at the Chamber of Commerce in Los Angeles, at which the different cities will be taken up in rotation; the distribution of a monthly bulletin showing the progress of the valley in all lines, and the use of special articles throughout the press of the various cities.

Definite word from the Trustees of the different San Gabriel cities on the question of putting ordinances for the lighted way, is expected to be presented at the meeting also, and a plan will be proposed for the appointment of a committee to appear before the governing bodies of all the cities included, to explain the cost of electric lights, installation and electric service, so as to hurry along the completion of the project.

There are also representatives of the Committee on Uniform Speed Ordinances, who have been consulting the different City Attorneys, will present his report.

**NEWS BRIEFS.**

For the first time in its history the South Pasadena High School has decided to participate in the coming football season and a schedule is being arranged with Pasadena, Long Beach, Monrovia, Santa Monica, Santa Ana, Whittier and all other schools with which they have already competed in basketball.

Coach White says that while he does not expect them to win any games this year, from to make an experience he expects them to make good showing with the available material. Strong support has been promised by the merchants of the city, and in purchasing suits and paraphernalia.

The new school principal, Herbert Uphoff, who came here from Redlands, has merged the student body and Athletic Association, and instead of entrance fees and dues each person who enters the league will be taxed \$1.50, which will cover uniforms, books, and other expenses.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met last evening in the church parlors with a social evening. Light refreshments were served and the committee in charge was Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Carver, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. G. Maurice Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Maurice Gaspard of New York City will arrive in South Pasadena to make their home about October 1. Gaspard is a well-known illustrator and designer and is manager of the Western Newspaper Union. He is brother of Mrs. William Axtman of Monterey road, and with his wife will find a location for a permanent home.

**TO DISCUSS PROPOSED CHARTER.**

**Pacific City Club of Santa Monica Will Metaphorically Sit at Feet of Senator Edinborough.**

SANTA MONICA, Sept. 24.—In the ballroom of Hotel Windermere Thursday afternoon, State Senator Frank L. Edinborough will address the Pacific City Club members at the first meeting of the year on the subject "The New County Charter." Edinborough, having served as secretary of the Charter Commission, is qualified to explain the document which is to be placed before the voters for approval or rejection. The Pacific City Club is an organization composed mostly of women.

Following are the recently-chosen officers of the club: President, Mrs. Roy Jones; vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Perry; secretary, Miss Charles Welsh; treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Gill. More than 500 persons are expected to fill the ballroom of the Windermere to hear Edinborough.

**NEWS BRIEFS.**

A movement is on foot to change the name of Oregon avenue to Santa Monica boulevard, thus to have a uniform name for the main thoroughfare to Santa Monica from Los Angeles. It is stated that Sawtelle, Sherman and Colegrove people are also willing to name the street Santa Monica boulevard. The Chamber of Commerce will take the matter under consideration.

The total enrollment of the Santa Monica schools is 1800. There is an increase of 150 in the grammar schools over last year's figure, and 100 more pupils have applied for enrollment at the High School. Nine more teachers are employed this year than last September.

Superintendent Thomas of the High School are greatly pleased with the outlook.

Lodges of Knights of Pythias, will hold a social tomorrow evening. All visiting Knights being invited. The Grand Prelate will be among the visiting officers present.

Councilmen Berkeley, Ehrenhart and Little were appointed a committee to look into the feasibility of establishing a municipal market, at the meeting of the City Council last night.

They will report Monday night, and it is understood that they will favor the selection of a spot near Sixth street and Oregon avenue for a temporary market place.

### QUESTIONS ARE SIGNIFICANT.

**Federal Engineer Investigates Long Beach Harbor.**

**Councilmen Believe that Development Is at Hand.**

**Voters Defeat the Proposed Pier Bonds Issue.**

**LONG BEACH, Sept. 24.**

Under instructions from the Secretary of War, Col. C. S. McKintrey of the Board of Engineers has asked the City Council for data concerning the harbor and the extent of harbor improvements, which will be answered by President Craig of the Board of Public Works as soon as necessary data can be compiled.

Congress a few months ago allowed an item of expenditure for a preliminary survey of the Long Beach harbor and the information sought is incidental to the survey. Among other things, Col. McKintrey wants to know the plan of the wharf front, showing depth of water and location of railway tracks, a description of the appliances on the wharves for unloading and loading vessels, the extent and method of use by vessels, have wagons easy access to the warehouses and to the ship's side; is there a mutual contract between railroads and vessels for interchange of traffic, with physical connection between water terminals and the railroads, and are the wharves open to use by all water carriers on equal terms.

The City Council regarding this inquiry as of vital importance to the securing of government aid for the development of the harbor, and the available information will be furnished fully.

**POLICE BUSY.**

The Police Department is busy today investigating one successful burglary and two botched attempts last night in the business district.

At C. C. Lord's on Pine avenue the thief gained entrance by means of a skeleton key, and carried off a gold watch and a diamond ring, and a gold piece and disdained several nickels and pennies. Nothing else in the store was touched. Of the two attempted robberies, one was carried off by a skeleton key, and the other by a skeleton key.

Disatisfaction with the Council's alleged policy of attempting to benefit one section of the city at the expense of the entire community, resulted in the defeat of a proposed issue of \$100,000 in bonds to the city dock. The vote stood 1168 for the bonds, 839 against. A two-thirds vote was necessary to carry the election.

**GAS NOT SATISFACTORY.**

Since the first of the month Long Beach has been receiving its supply of gas by pipeline, and as the result of the long distance carried and new pipes, the local inspectors' tests show a falling off from the regular standard of 90 thermal units. An inspector reported this condition to the City Council last night and was instructed to forward the Edison company a copy of his daily tests, and that it is one of the most valuable parasites ever discovered in California.

The electric fly lays its eggs in the cottony cushion scale, and when the young flies get their growth they attack their nesting place and then spread out to destroy the scale. The eggs may be deposited. They multiply rapidly, so small that hundreds may be placed on a finger tip. While due credit is given the Australian ladybird as a destroyer, the two entomologists assert that if the fly could have been permitted to infest it could have in time destroyed all of the cottony cushion scale here.

**NEWS BRIEFS.**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Stone have returned from an eastern trip of seven weeks' duration, which took them to New England, where they visited friends and relatives in Massachusetts, Vermont, Maine, Iowa and Colorado. Their stopover in Detroit, where Mr. Stone, who is cashier of the First National Bank here, attended the convention of the American Bankers' Convention.

**SEVEN WEEKS' FIGHT.**

After a seven weeks' fight to enlarge the industrial district, the City Council last night, following the receipt of a report by the City Engineer that the frontage represented in petition for and against the change, refused to take final action, leaving the boundaries as at present. It is the belief of the advocates of the enlarged district will seek a remedy through the initiative.

**TWO HUNDRED GUESTS.**

Two hundred guests attended the banquet of the Chamber of Commerce at Hotel Virginia this evening. The guests of honor being members of the Intercity Association, an organization of twenty-two cities of the county who are working for city and county consolidation. Speeches were made by Henry A. Lane, representing the city of Los Angeles, and John C. Wray of San Pedro, who has never forgotten the pledges the big city made to his home town and never redeemed.

**NEWS BRIEFS.**

City Auditor Shuman today completed the assessment rolls for this year's taxes and turned them over to Collector Pillsbury. The total amount of taxable property is \$21,757,116, and the amount of taxes to be collected is \$272,550.96.

T. J. Murray stepped from a Redondo car last night while it was still in motion and was thrown on his head, where he lay unconscious for some time. He was badly cut and bruised, and because of his age, 70 years, his condition is regarded as serious. Mr. Murray, who is a retired ranchman of considerable wealth, came here from Porterville two months ago.

The Golden-Avenue Pier Company has had its incorporation papers sent to Sacramento for filing. The incorporators are Harry Barndollar, George Schaeffer and Henry C. Miller. The capital stock is placed at \$1,000,000. The company has a franchise from the city for a pleasure and commercial pier at the foot of Golden avenue.

Join the Shriners at Coronado.

**WILL BE HELD IN NORTH.**

Next Meeting of the Pacific Coast Swimmers' Association Is Stated for San Francisco.

RECONDO BEACH, Sept. 24.—R. A. Minor of the Redondo Beach club received a letter from W. M. Coffman, swimming instructor of the Y.M.C.A. at San Francisco, regarding the next meet of the southern and Northwest branches of the Pacific Coast Swimmers' Association this

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fall, which will probably be held in San Francisco.

Wallace Robb, secretary of the A. A. U., has given the sanction of that organization for the meet to be held in the northern city, and a number of the swimmers from here including Bowes, Miss Dolly Mings, Langer and others, will enter in the championship meet. The last meet, a year ago, for the Pacific Coast championships, was held in the plunge here, and swimmers from Seattle to San Diego participated.

**WED AT SANTA ANA.**

Miss Cora Blair and Ralph Wise, two well-known young people of this place, went to Santa Ana today and were married at noon at that place to avoid their friends. They were accompanied by Miss Lillian Blair and Harry Pullman of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Wise went from Santa Ana to San Diego for a honeymoon trip. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Chipman of Elena avenue and has been employed in the confectionery store of M. Brosnay, her father-in-law. She is a sister of her father's friends, as she was seen as usual at the store yesterday. Mr. Wise is an electrician at the Pacific Light and Power Company's plant.

"Coronado Tent City" is choice.

**GIVEN TOO MUCH CREDIT.**

Ladybird Not the Successful Extremist It Has Been Touted.

Small Fly Does Effective Work.

POMONA, Sept. 24.—C. H. Vary of this city, who is assistant A. S. Hort in the Los Angeles branch of the State Quarantine Office under State Horticultural Commissioner Cook, formerly of Pomona College, reports that the ladybird, known as the Vedalia or New Zealand beetle, imported from Australia years ago to prey upon and exterminate the cottony cushion scale, which became rampant here at one time, has been given too much credit as a destroyer of the pest.

From experiments and tests carried out by Messrs. Hort and Vary jointly they have established the fact that the destroying parasite to which most credit must be given is a small microscopic fly, known as an entomologist as the "Leptophorus leucis." Messrs. Hort and Vary, who have been carefully studying this little fly, are satisfied that it is one of the most valuable parasites ever discovered in California.

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## \$175,000.00 Protects Small Stockholders

The Globe Savings Bank of Los Angeles has \$175,000.00 with which to protect small stockholders of the Los Angeles Investment Company.

The Guarantee Fund, managed and controlled by the bank, has always protected every stockholder of the Company. In no other similar organization are stockholders so strongly protected against loss as they are in the Los Angeles Investment Company.

To date the Guarantee Fund has purchased every share of stock offered it for sale, always paying a price protecting the holder from loss. It has purchased more than \$1,200,000.00 worth of the Company's stock. One hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars is in the control of the bank, ready to protect you and to guarantee the safety of your investment, when you become a small stockholder. If you want your money back, take or send your stock certificate to the Globe Savings Bank.

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### TAPS FOR AN AGED VETERAN.

Pioneer of San Diego County is  
Called County Fair Opens Its  
Gates This Morning.

ESCONDIDO, Sept. 24.—Allen W.  
Andrews, a veteran of the Civil War,  
a member of Co. E, First Illinois  
Light Artillery, and for twenty-five  
years a resident of California, died at  
his home in Escondido, four miles west  
of Escondido, yesterday. The funeral  
was held in Escondido, and today the  
remains were shipped to Compton for  
burial. Besides the widow, Mr. An-  
drews is survived by three children:  
Nellie A. Andrews, Webb A. Andrews  
and John J. Andrews, all of the Es-  
condido country.

### NEWS BRIEFS.

Miss Julia Case, daughter of Mrs.  
M. S. Case, who has been prominent  
in musical and social circles, was  
married on Sunday to Floyd R. Sharp  
of San Francisco, the wedding taking  
place at the home of the bride's moth-  
er, with Rev. Thomas D. McLean, pas-  
tor of the Congregational church, of-  
ficiating. Mr. and Mrs. Sharp will  
live in San Francisco.

Everett Mather of Boston, Mass.,  
has bought eleven acres of Dr. Dr.  
Bradley place in the east end of the  
valley, and has built a house upon  
the property.

Returning from Los Angeles, Coach  
E. F. Merrill of the High School foot-  
ball eleven announced that arrange-  
ments have been made to include the  
local school in the Intercollegiate  
Football League of Southern Califor-  
nia, with nine other teams. The first  
game of the league will be with the  
San Diego Playground eleven on the  
Escondido grounds, October 2.

The county fair will open tomor-  
row morning for a four-days' exhibi-  
tion. Small ring events will occupy  
the attention of the people in the  
forenoon and horse-racing over the  
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### BELATED FOR GOOD OF PARTY.

Citizens' Committee Report  
Has Political Flavor.

San Bernardino Not Im-  
pressed With Findings.

Little Mojave Makes Reputa-  
tion for Fine Apples.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]  
SAN BERNARDINO, Sept. 24.—  
[Exclusive Dispatch.] The long-de-  
layed report of the citizens' investi-  
gating committee appointed a year  
ago to investigate charges against  
county officials preferred by Super-  
visor S. P. Horton was made public  
today. E. J. Gilbert is the only  
signer. Other members of the com-  
mittee refused to sign, not being in  
sympathy with the report, which is  
to be used by a faction of the Bull  
Moose as a campaign document.

Dr. Lombard of Redlands, another  
member of the committee, has issued  
a minority report, which takes issue  
with Gilbert, and while it points out  
instances where county money could  
have been saved, it gives praise to  
county officials. The report's deal in  
no issues not fully covered by the  
grand jury report filed many months  
ago.

WOMAN BOUND OVER.  
Mrs. Florence Barrett Richardson  
Stam, charged with bigamy, was  
examined before Justice Hanna at  
Colton today, and held under \$2000  
bonds for trial before the Superior  
Court. Her two husbands, Clyde  
Richardson and Clyde Stam, met in  
the courtroom. Richardson testified  
he had married her at Winton, Al-  
berta, Can., April 18, 1909, and Stam  
testified that their marriage had oc-  
curred here December 21, 1911. She  
is unable to give bond, despite the  
assertion that the Los Angeles Chi-  
nese are backing her.

RED-CHEEKED FRUIT.  
The country at the head of the  
Little Mojave is developing a reputa-  
tion for its apples. Will Warren is  
the pioneer of the industry. Warren  
has built most of the mountain  
roads in this county during the early  
days, braving Indians and renegade  
whites. The son returned here a few  
years ago, and after casting about,  
located on the Little Mojave set out  
apple trees, and now brings to town  
the first fruits of his orchard. The  
apples are said to be of a superior  
excellence. Warren's success has  
awakened much interest here over  
the possibilities of that isolated re-  
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SPEEDER HURT.  
Glenn W. Monahan, a motorcycle  
rider of Redlands, speeding up Third  
street, struck an automobile driven  
by F. Shenkle, and suffered a com-  
pound fracture of the right leg. He  
was removed to the Bennetts Hospi-  
tal. Monahan's accident adds to the  
series of accidents which have been  
occurring here with uncanny fre-  
quency since two weeks ago. In that  
time a day has passed that has  
not recorded either a motorcycle  
hurt, an automobile party wrecked  
and injured, or some other similar  
misadventure. The local hospitals now  
contain more accident victims than  
regular patients.

CHINA ELECTION.  
The Supervisors have called an  
election near China for October 31,  
for the purpose of having the prop-  
erty owners in that section decide on  
a proposition to create the "Pioneer"  
drainage district, to cover 500 acres  
in this county and forty-five acres in  
Riverside county. The matter was  
laid before the Supervisors by J. W.  
McAllister, E. H. Sleeper, J. W. Pale  
and other land owners. It is be-  
lieved that by the establishment of  
the drainage system a large section  
of land can be reclaimed to agricul-  
ture.

The Supervisors today voted to  
disallow the telephone bills of the  
two Superior judges. The action is  
taken following the report of the re-  
cent grand jury, which recommended  
that no claim for a telephone at the  
home of an official could be legally  
paid by the county, except in the  
home of a Superior. The grand  
jury considered that in the case of a  
Superior his home is his office. The  
court has authority to order the war-  
rants drawn, despite the act of the  
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Led by a gradually lowering water  
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renews operations on the well to-  
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## Hair Health

If You Have Scalp or Hair Trouble,  
Take Advantage of This Offer.

We could not afford to so strongly  
endorse Rexall "93" Hair Tonic and  
continue to sell it as we do, if we were  
not certain that it would do all we  
claim it will. Should our enthusiasm  
carry us away, and Rexall "93" Hair  
Tonic not give entire satisfaction to  
the users, they would lose faith in us  
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suffer.

Therefore, when we assure you that  
if your hair is beginning to unnatur-  
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trouble, Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will  
promptly eradicate dandruff, stimulate  
hair growth and prevent premature  
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Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is vastly dif-  
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We believe that it will do more than  
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It is not greasy and will not gum the  
scalp or hair or cause permanent  
set. It is as pleasant to use as pure  
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In the automobile in which they were brought to Los Angeles after leaving the train at Pomona. Below is the Kelly smile, which expanded at his reception.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

from the gate near the end of the bleachers. It was Hogan's, but the "umps" could not establish its identity, and it was permitted to return in the public eye.

Later Hogan withdrew it, went to the clubhouse and slipped up and returned with a new box on the edge of the grand stand, where he determined the spies by calling the turn on nearly every play made.

far off first, Slagle to Moore, that he made no immediate attempt to return. He at once became the center of interest between first and second.

Bayless did not give up until he had almost run himself and half of the Angel infield into the air. He had the honor of making the outgo.

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Both sides pastimed more pro-

**Western League.**  
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At Lincoln—Lincoln-Topeka, postponed, rain.  
At Wichita—Wichita, 4; Denver, 9.  
At St. Joseph—St. Joseph, 7; Des Moines, 9.

**Fred**  
The story of his winning the great har-

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Times car and carried into the city. His mother made the trip to Pomona in the automobile and was the first to meet the big athlete as he jumped out of the car. His mother was radiantly happy as she settled herself in the car beside her son, who had won international fame for his home land and for the family.

Fritz was as pleased as a little boy with a new toy at getting his feet once more on the terra firma of Southern California and said that he would never leave again, unless it was to beat some hurdlers that might be sent to win—I did.

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